

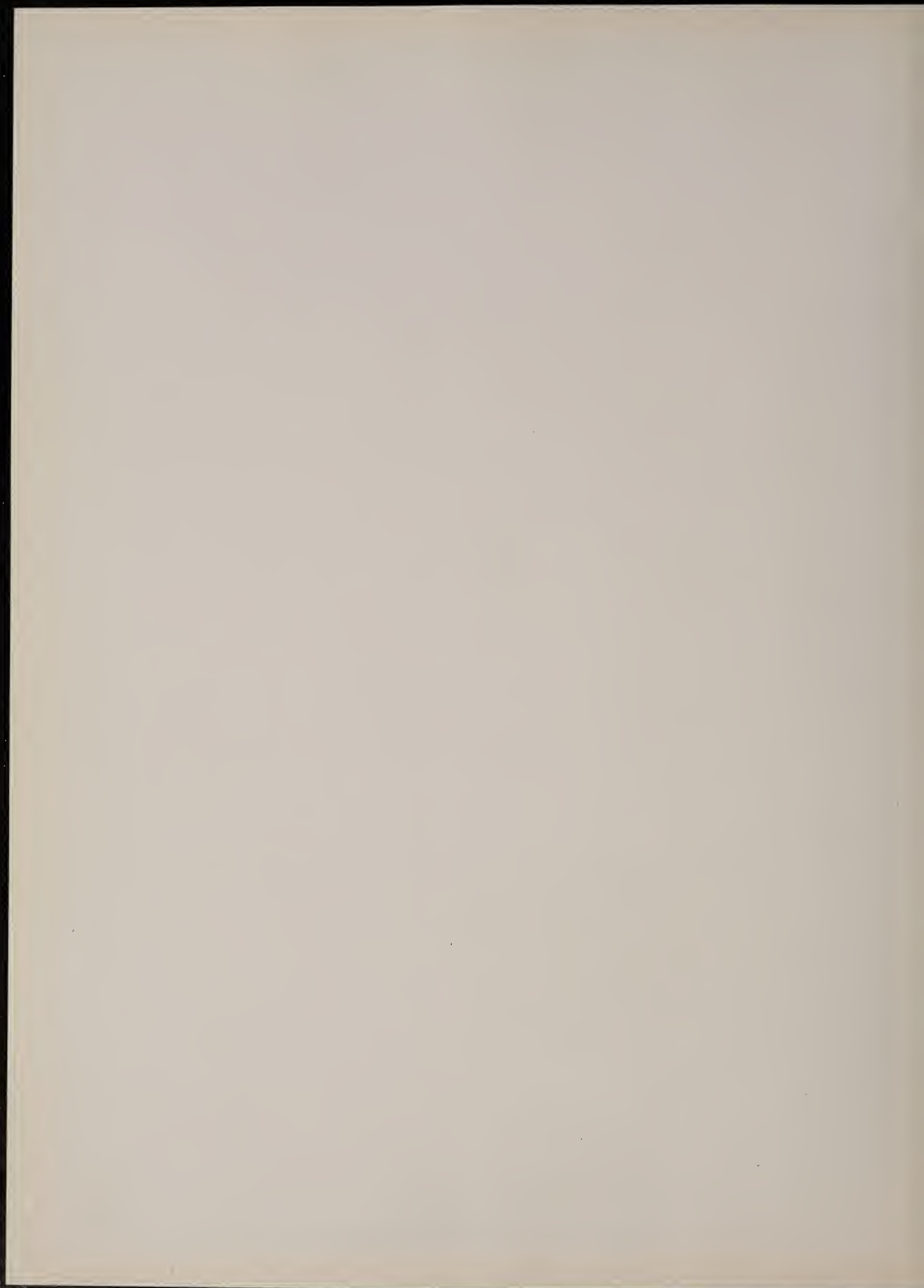


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We came inexperienced . . .



to a small school . . .



*and had to adapt
to its structures.*

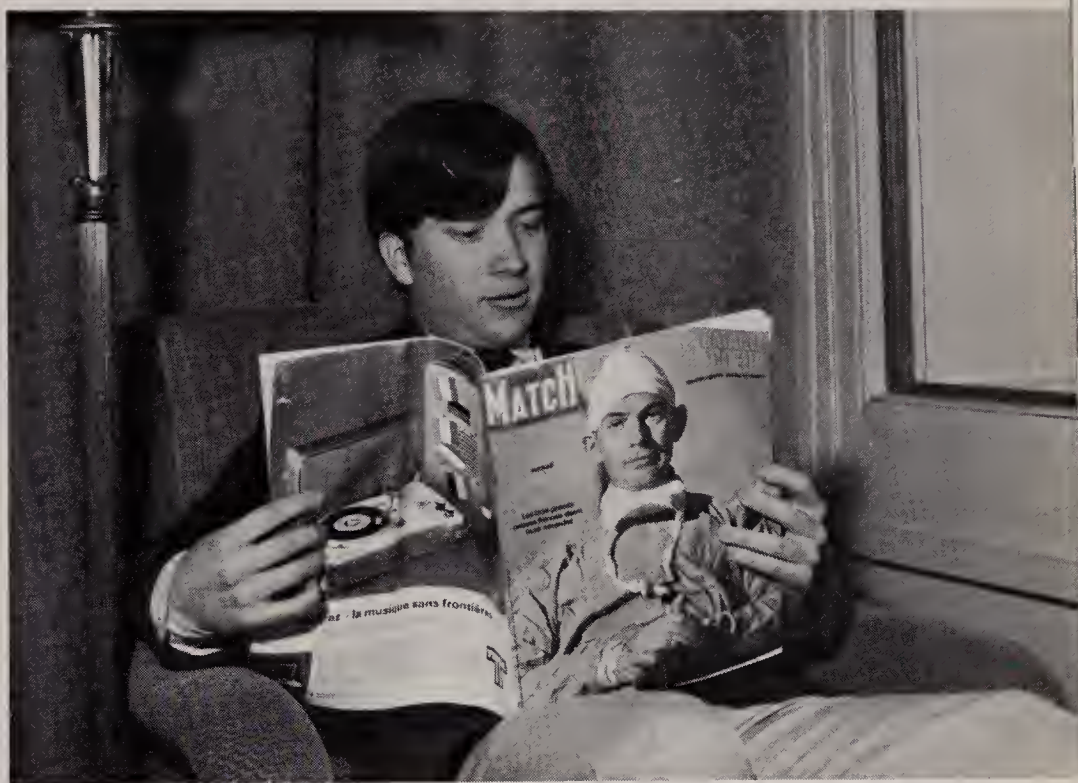


We began to notice things . . .

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the people around us . . .

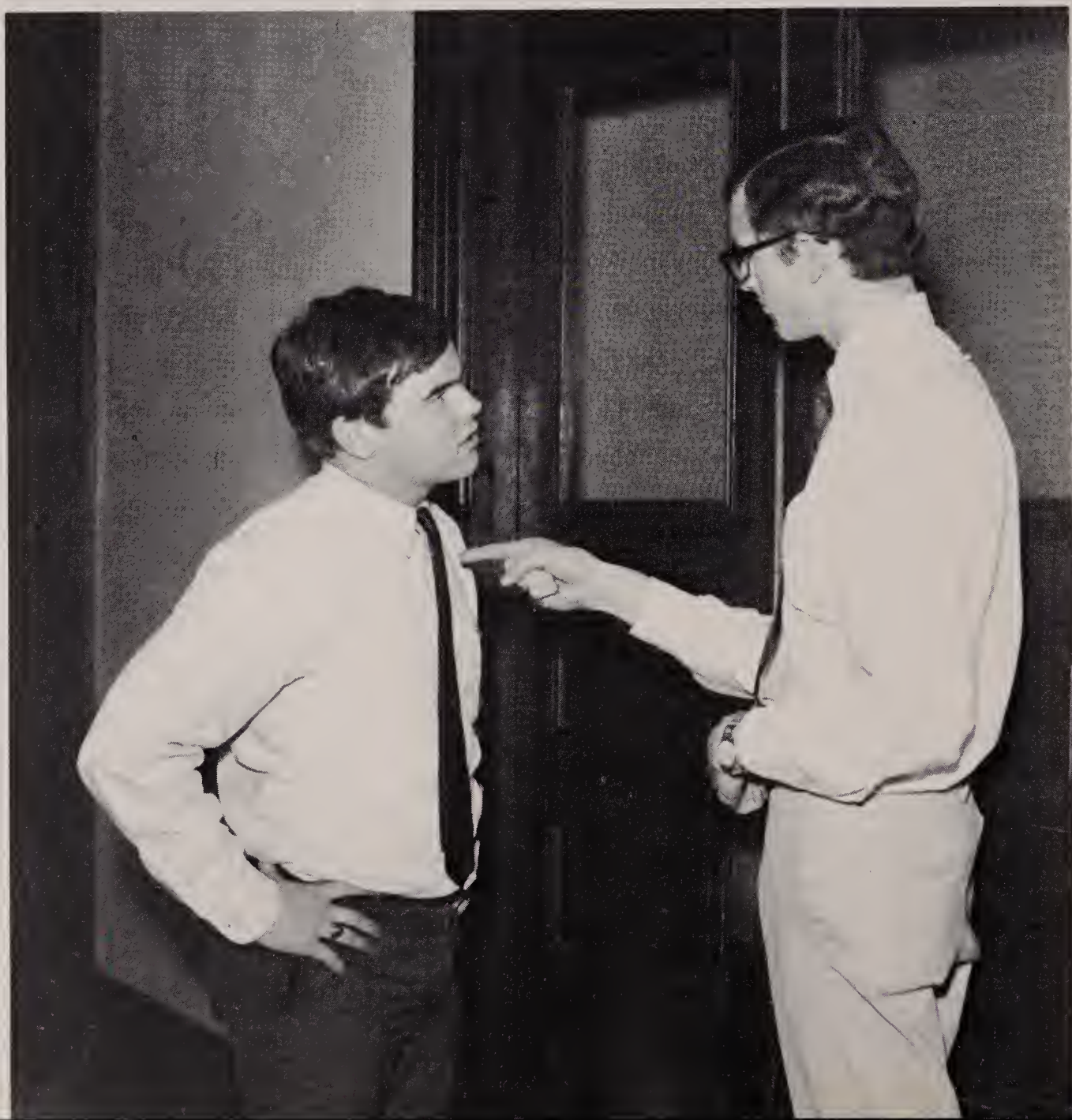


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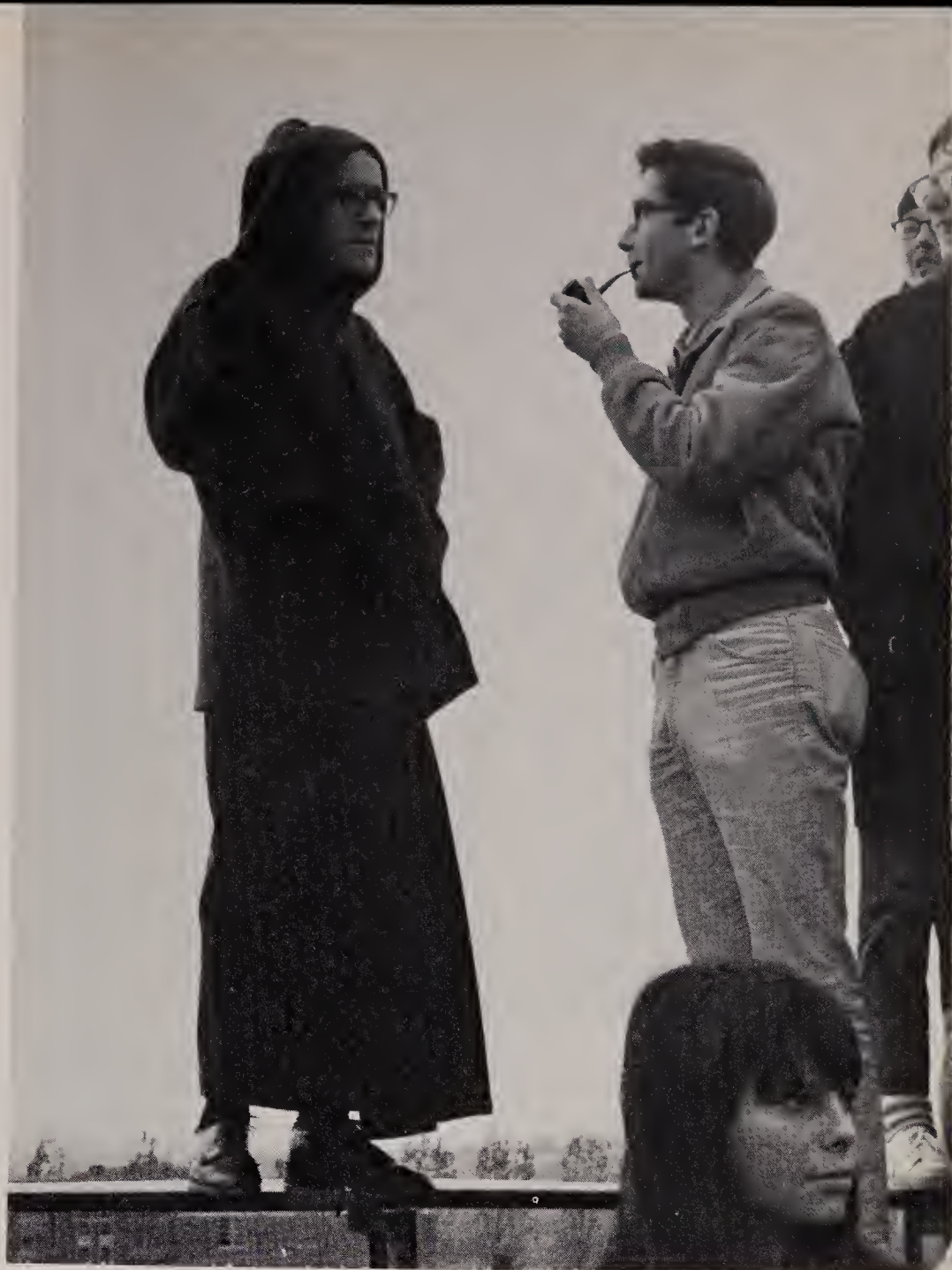


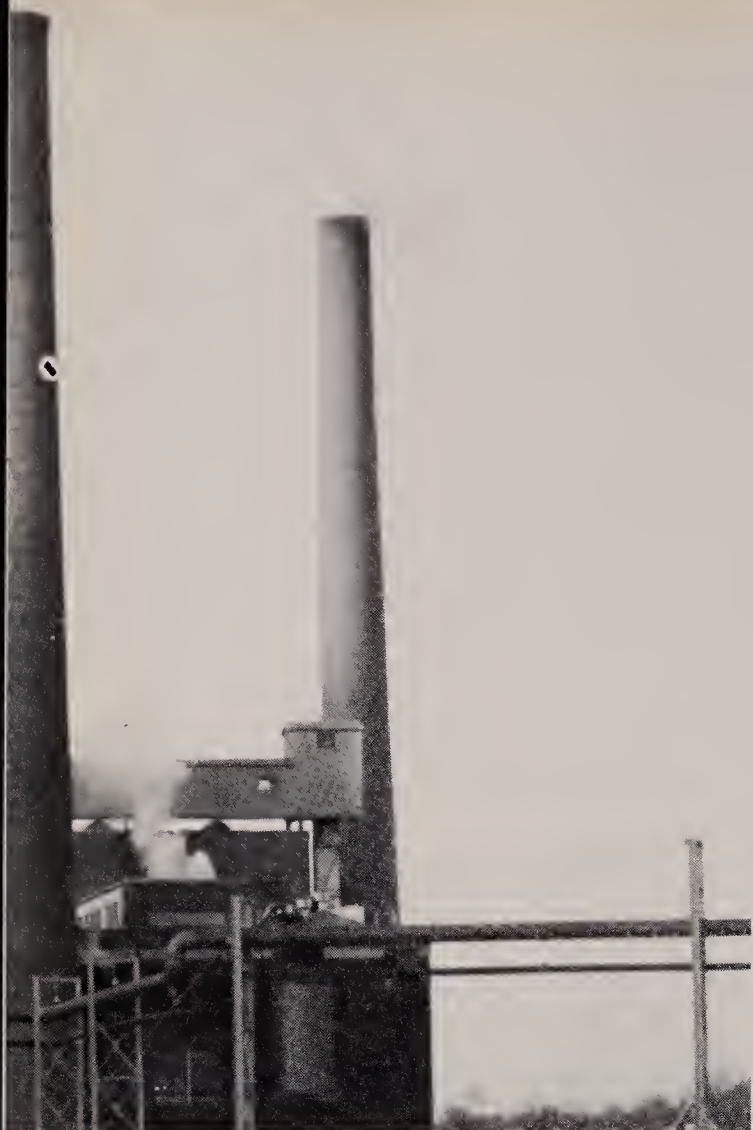


their reactions to one another . . .



their ways of life.





*And we noticed the
shapes of industry . . .*

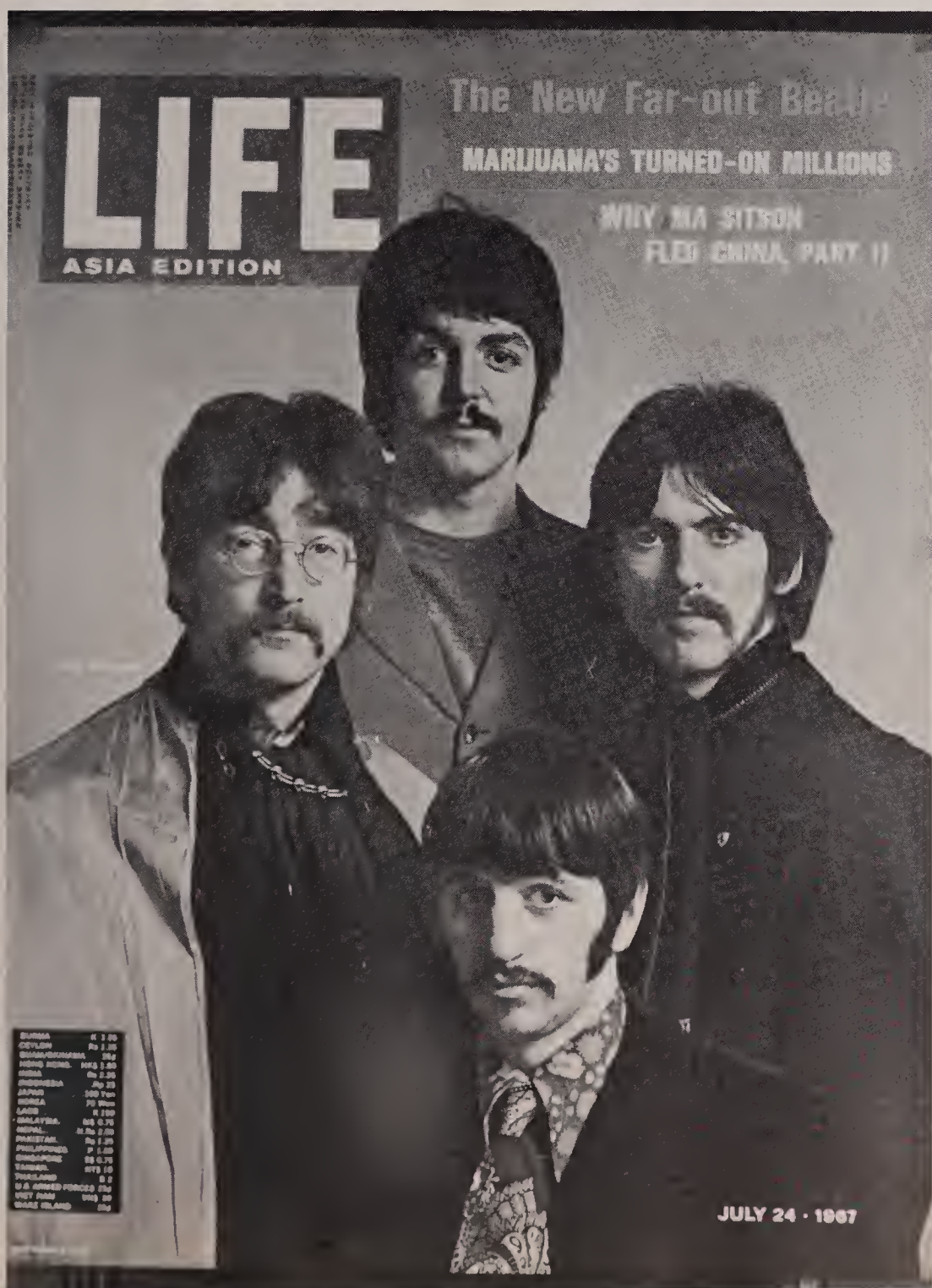
and of nature.





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We grew in awareness of an evolving age—





*a time of questioning
traditional beliefs
and values . . .*



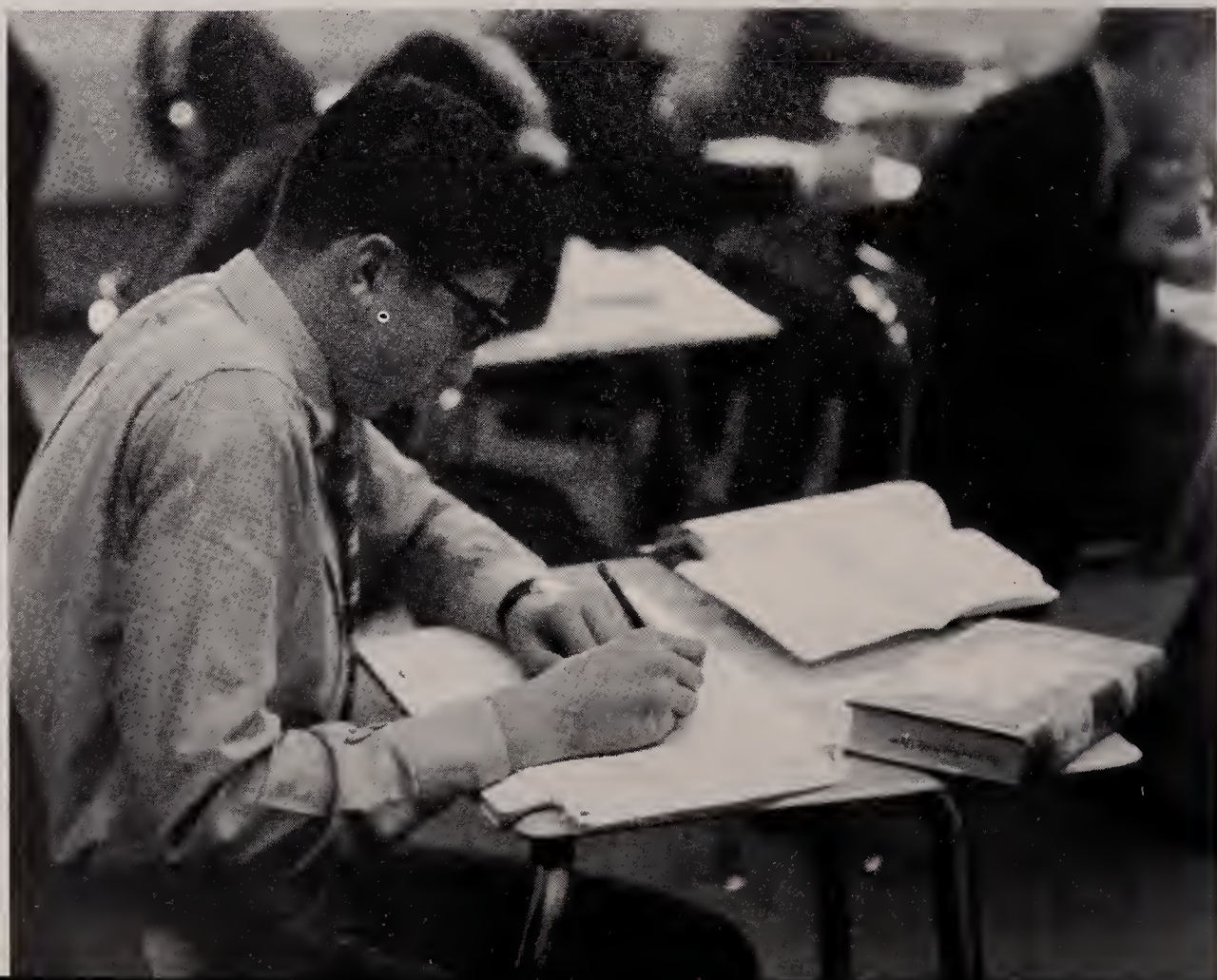
religious codes . . .





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educational philosophies . . .



social mores.

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And did we attain maturity?



The answer involves the nature of our questioning—




the nature of our judgements on
both universal concerns . . .


BOSTON HERALD TRAVELER

*"I shall not seek-and I will not accept
the nomination for another term as President."*

Johnson Won't Run

President Orders Viet War De-Escalated
Then Stuns Nation With Historic Decision

THE WAR  THE DECISION



Weighted Bill Andrews
Eugene Higgins

Bobby Mum, Speaks Today

Johnson Speech
Highlights Outlined

McCarthy Shocked by Move

Lady Bird Sits
Smiling with
Hands Folded

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and community issues.



*And beyond this questioning lies a
future uncertain for some . . .*





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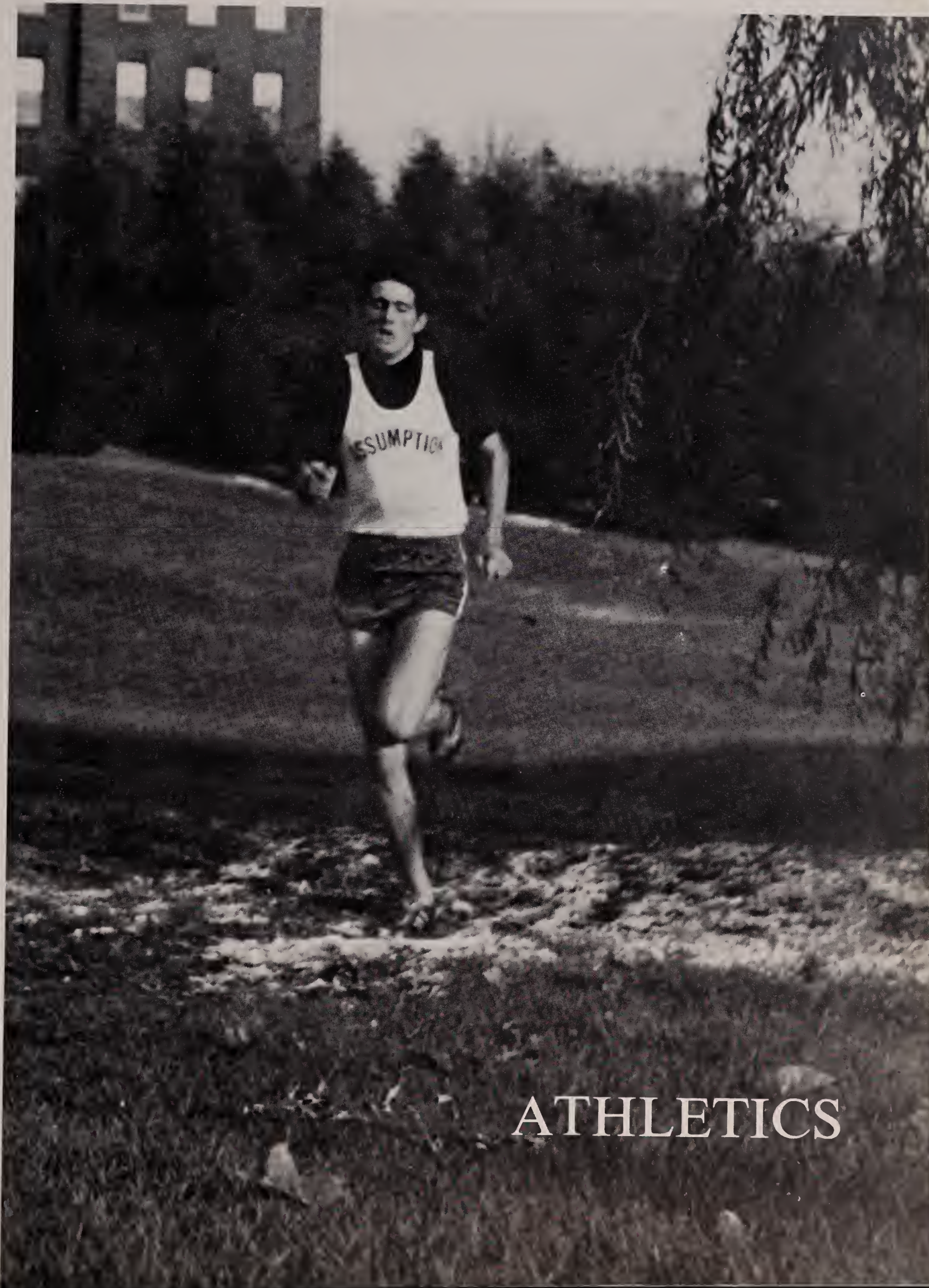
and more certain for others.

*Aware of these problems and in search of
answers, we leave . . .*

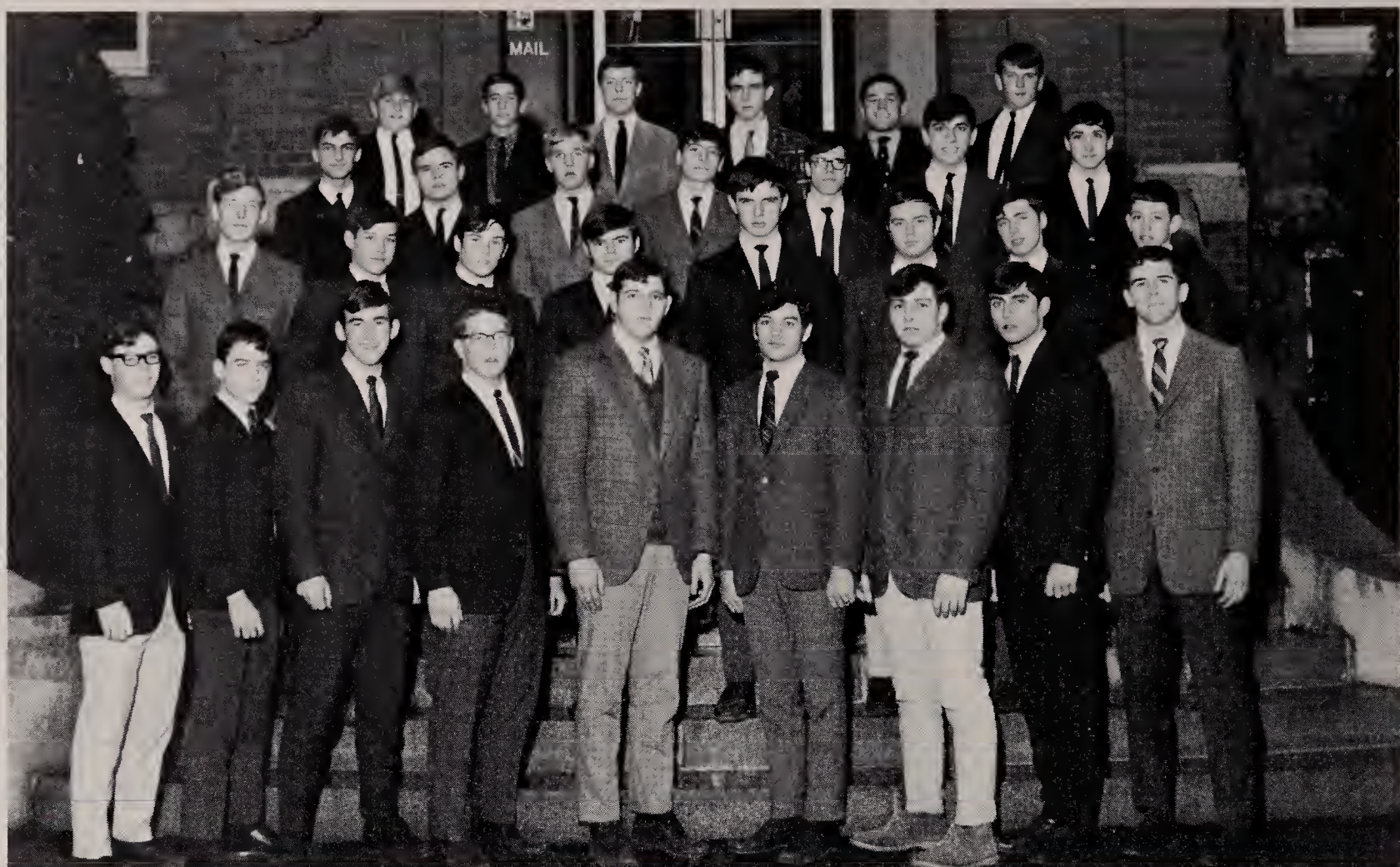




taking different roads.



ATHLETICS



FOOTBALL

Victory is probably the greatest fallacy of football. People more often than not consider a winning season as the primary reason for playing the game. In so doing, they tend to overlook the essence of this type of contest.

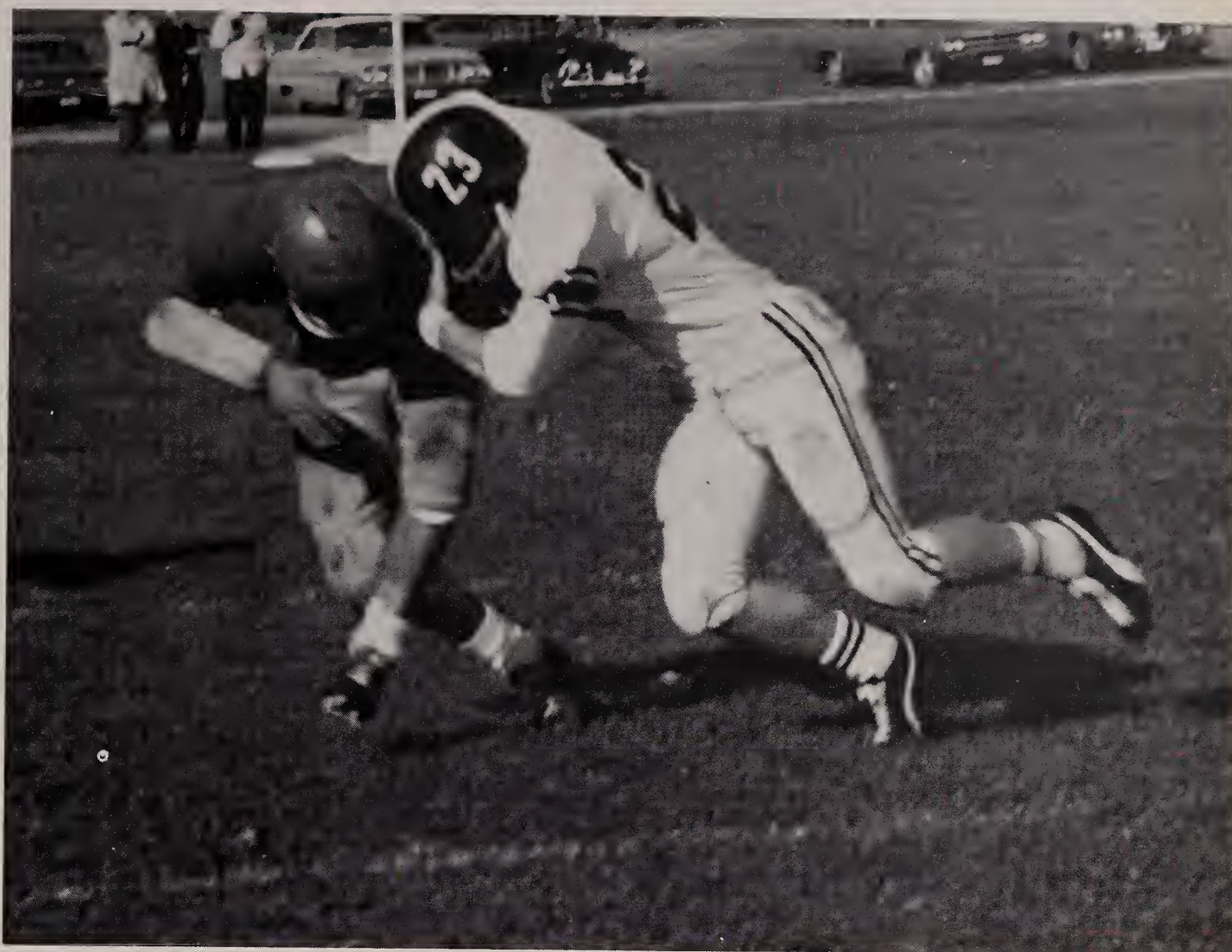
As is true of all sports, a desire to win permeates the competitive ranks. One, however, tends to forget that there are many facets of victory. To be able to play a losing game with a wholehearted effort is, in itself, an astounding accomplishment. If one can walk off a ball field after eating dirt and still say that he did his best, then he has achieved more through defeat than what might have been attained from a victorious tally and a lesser effort. In other words, an unyielding perseverance has brought this aspiring young adult that much closer to manhood.

Football is a game of black eyes, bruises, and pure guts. Just wanting to roll up a score is not enough in this game. Day after day, you strive to maintain your academic position, while night after night you struggle up on the heights. Constant

knocking of heads shatters the silence of those somber autumn afternoons. Blood, sweat, and tears are shed throughout the season and one asks why. The answer is simple. Love for the game is the inspiration and basis of participation. It is an affection which is seldom noticed or appreciated.

All of which leads to the question of what is most damaging to this love. One must look to the student body for the answer. Habitual apathy is the damaging factor. One becomes discouraged when those who should care do not. How disheartening it is for the footballer of Assumption to play for his school in front of an empty gallery. To paraphrase a slogan: support your team and let them know you care.

In conclusion, to play football is to love the game. One learns that it is better to fight and lose than win and not try. The game contributes to the making of a staunch young man from a wavering boy. As a final note, Coaches Raymond and Foley are a credit to the Assumption spirit.









CROSS COUNTRY

This fall presented Assumption with the best cross-country season it has ever had, ending with a fine seven-win, two-loss record.

The season opened on a flat note with Assumption losing a close match to Lawrence Academy, due mainly to the former's lack of depth. The Monks easily won their next two dual meets over Sacred Heart and Holy Name; then, though almost every Assumption runner without exception turned in his best time, the Monks lost their next meet to a powerful Worcester Academy team paced by the record-breaking run of a post-graduate, Mike Kelly. The harriers had their most glorious day when they were next able to split the team and go on to win decisively two separate contests over Saint Andrews and Thayer Academy. Assumption next hosted a tri-meet with Marianopolis and Webster Academy from which our runners again emerged victorious. The Monks ended the 1967 campaign on a very bright note with a clean sweep over Winchendon.

Though the prospects for the season had looked dull, Coach Bob Cormier was once again able to shape the team into one of the best in New England. It was through his drive and unre-



lenting will to win that the Monks caught the spirit that placed them well on their way to becoming a tradition at the school, and gave them such a successful year.

Assumption entered the following runners in highly competitive meets. Their placements in the respective meets were as follows: co-captain John Lamont 8th and co-captain Lawrence Desmarais 17th out of 550 runners in the Knights of Columbus Road Race; Lamont 6th and Desmarais 11th out of 150 varsity contestants, and sophomore Joseph May 3rd in the junior varsity race at Our Lady of Providence Invitational; Lamont 8th and Desmarais 25th out of 150 contestants in the New England Prep School Championships held at Williston Academy. The new Assumption course record is held by Mike Kelly of Worcester Academy (11:55), and the school record by captain John Lamont (12:07).

The outstanding award winners for Assumption cross-country during the 1967 season were: Coaches Award: Lawrence Desmarais; Most Valuable Player: John Lamont. Initiated into the ranks of the 1000 Mile Club was "Beep" Desmarais.





SOCCKER

For most schools it takes time and experience to develop a winning team in a new sport. For Assumption, it took the perseverance and positive outlook of Coach Bazzano along with the patience and understanding of our Director of Athletics, Mr. Bibaud.

The team was led to a 4-2-1 season by co-captains Tim Mackin and Dave Granger. The Most Valuable Player award went to goalie Phil Descheneaux. Leading scorers on the team were Burt Vigil and Nicki Florescu with Charlie Sullivan and Tim Mackin heading the defense. The main ingredient for victory, however, was the team spirit which helped the group function as a unit.

In its initial season as a varsity sport, soccer got off to a running start. The team was somewhat hindered by two defeats by Webster Academy and Providence Country Day School. However, Assumption went on to defeat Winchendon, New Prep (twice), and Holy Name. An official match against Nichols College junior varsity resulted in the only tie game of the season.

With its first season ending victoriously, soccer is expecting even better teams in the future. Now that soccer has established itself as a varsity sport and has progressed so considerably towards the full achievement of its goals, it is ready to move on to still greater heights in the years to come.







BASKETBALL

The 1967-68 Monks have lived up to everyone's expectations: a team full of fight and spirit. They have proved to be an exciting outfit to watch. Led by Mariano Santiago, the Monks edged out Providence Country Day in the season opener by a count of 70-52. Roxbury Latin gave the Monks a scare before bowing out 57-56, thanks to Bob (Jonesy) Jones' 30-footer with ten seconds to go.

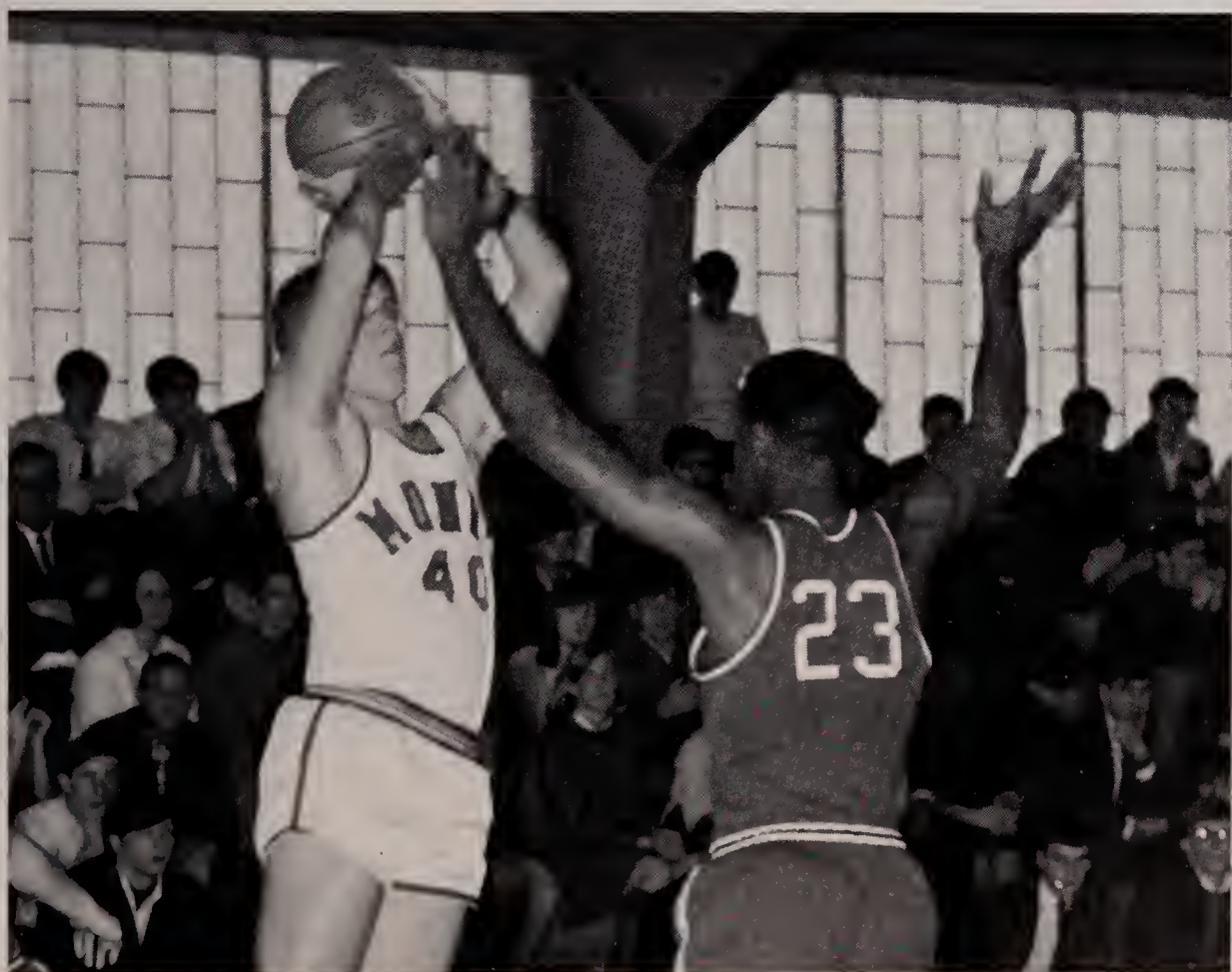
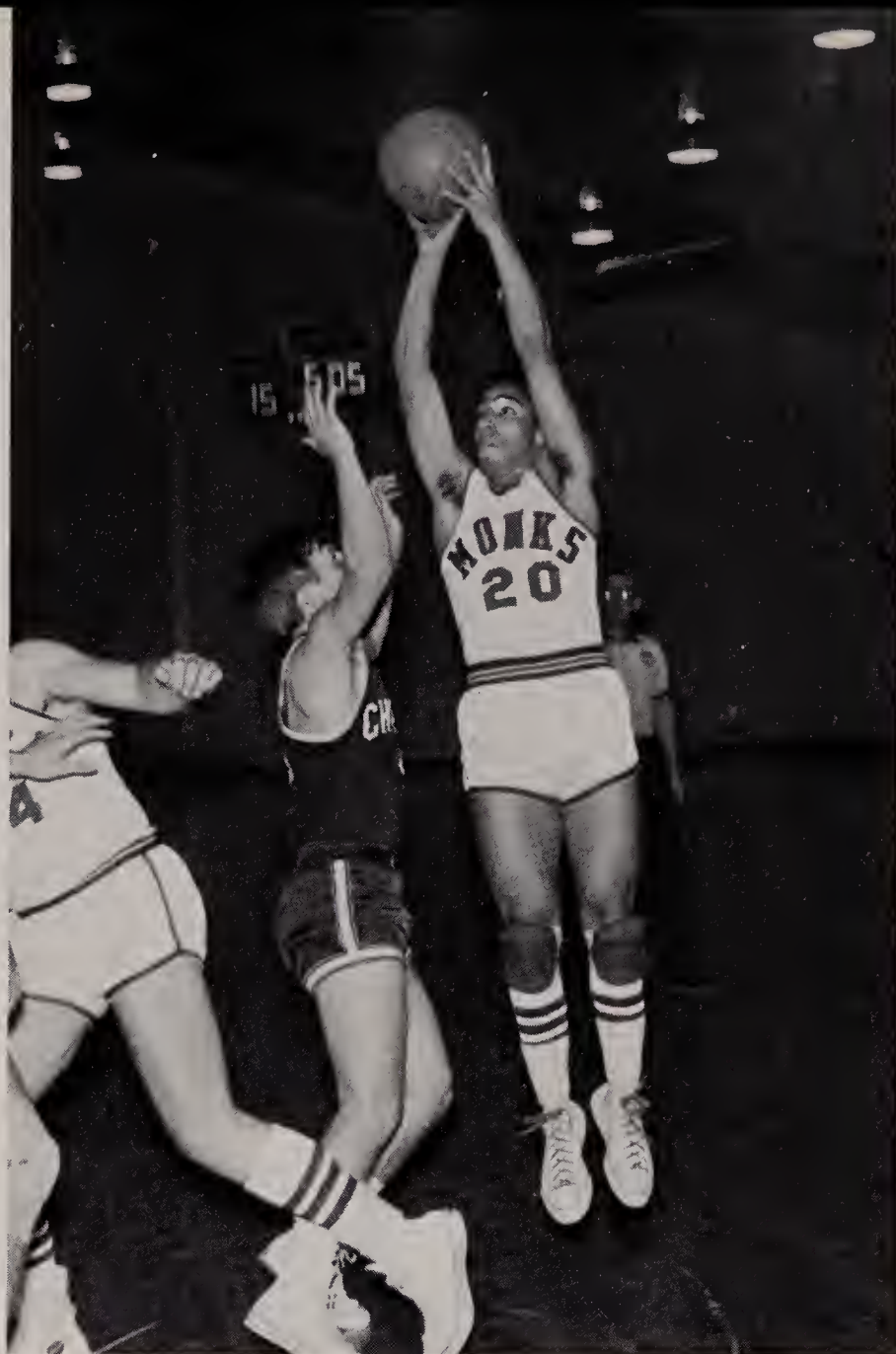
The Kingswood Tournament brought the Monks success and defeat. They edged out Wilbraham—a strong team—by four points, 58-54. Mariano Santiago's defense and a late scoring spree by Phil Descheneaux highlighted the win. The next two tournament games found the Monks on the losing side. Kingswood won easily 87-62, then Choate 84-70. After the holiday break, a "new look" Monks came back. Disregarding their famed zone, the team used a man-to-man technique. The new defense clicked as the team won the next three games: Assumption 84, New Prep 70; a tight contest but a win over Winchendon, 57-47; and a rough and tumble fight with Thompson but still victorious, 60-56. Then suddenly, their luck changed. The Monks lost two close games. Again Kingswood won 62-57 in a contest where Steve Warner played a magnificent defensive game against Kingswood's Jim Masker. Hun-

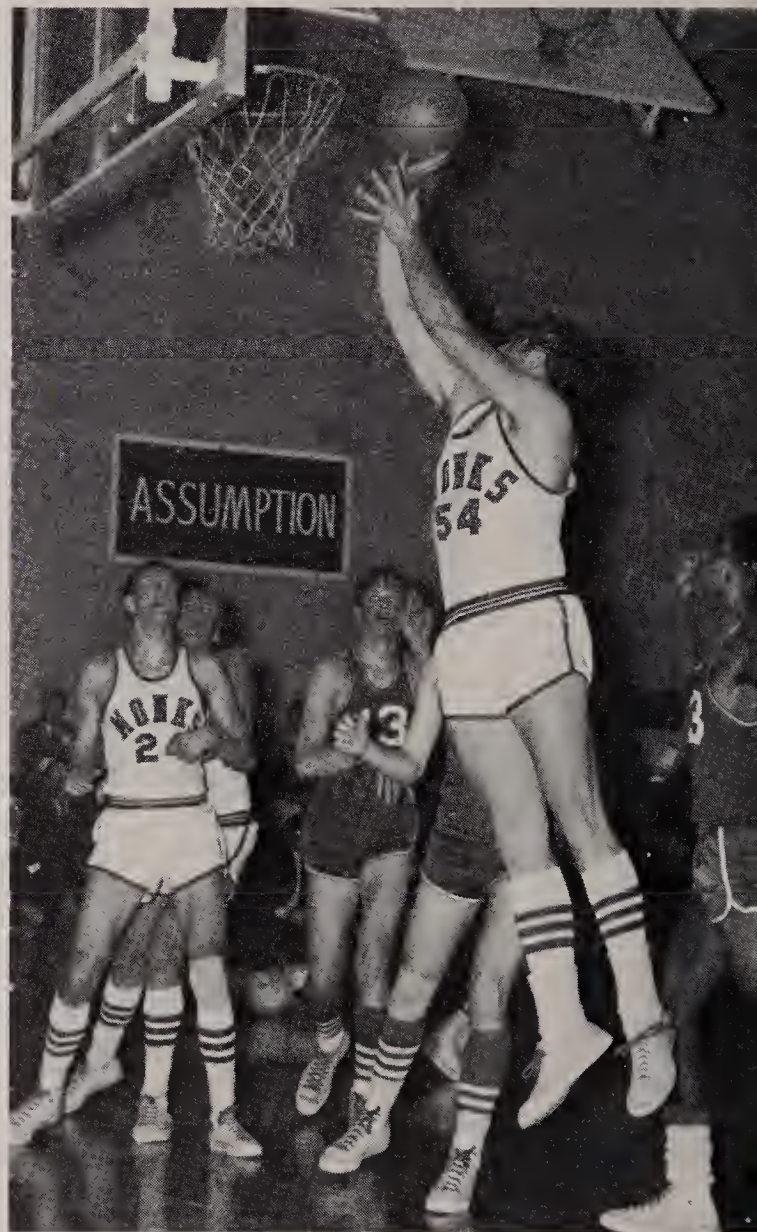
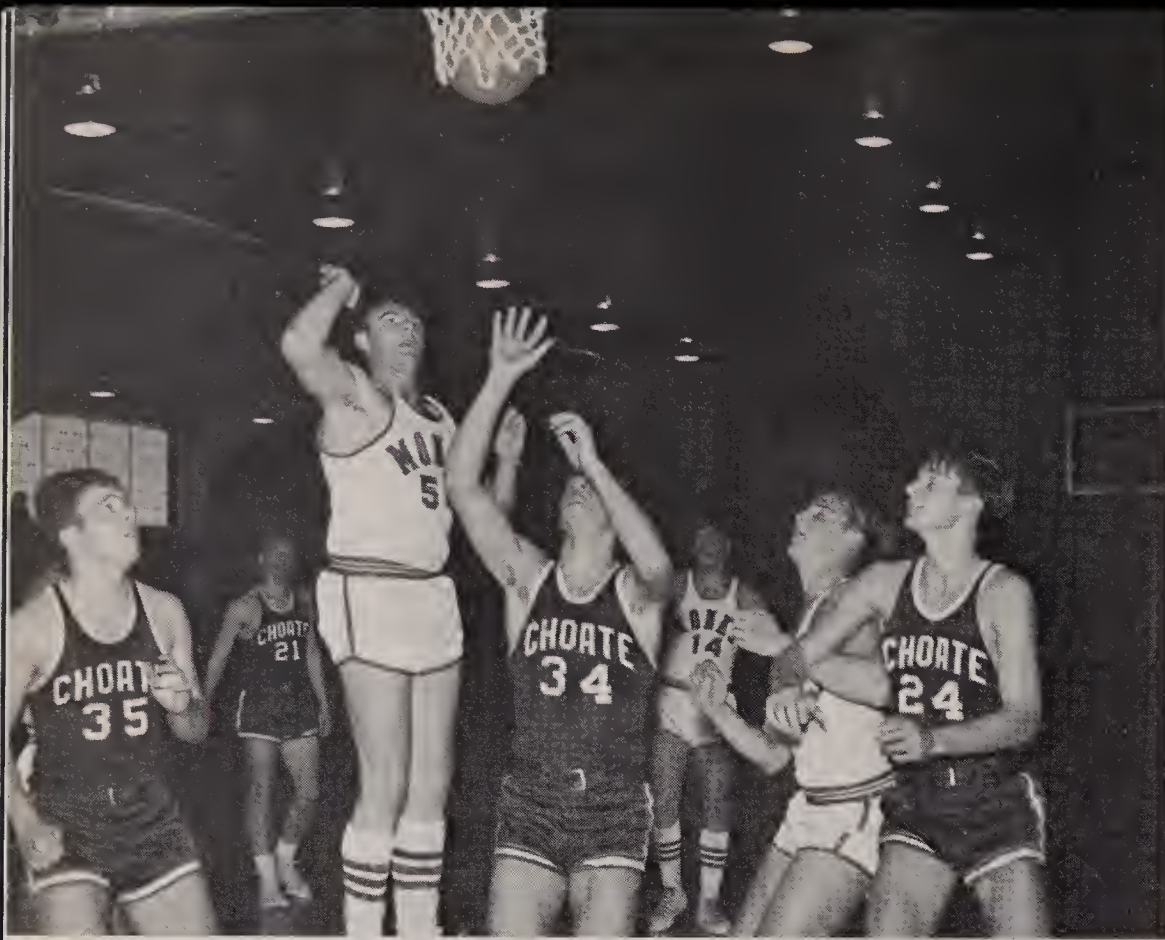


tington then edged the Monks in Boston by 80-78. Phil Descheneaux's 23 and Bob Jones' 17 points weren't enough to win. Then the team travelled to the Cape to top previously undefeated Tabor 51-47. A complete team effort followed in the Choate game; but a last second basket for Choate pulled it out at 66-65.

The Monks then faced the most crucial part of the season. The remaining games would determine whether the team would enter the New England Tournament for the third consecutive time. The team has won this tournament for the two previous years and 1968's group wanted another title. The Monks had started this "crucial season" without their captain, Mariano Santiago, who, due to an attack of appendicitis, was lost for the remainder of the season.

They had won two important games over St. Andrews and Hopkings Grammar. Powerful Cheshire, potent Cushing, Wilbraham, New Hampton and Pomfret remained. All were Class A Teams, except Wilbraham. The rest of the way would prove to be a challenge. The coach, Mr. Bibaud, and the team were ready. Bob Jones, Steve and Bobby Warner, Phil Descheneaux, and Mark Cragan were set to go. The reserves were ready. A trip to the New England Tournament would depend on the outcome of this series of second season games.





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SKIING

Skiing, a great sport, has for the last ten years become an increasingly popular prep school activity. Here at Assumption, the ski team was formed for students who like to ski competitively. There is no moderator for the team, and the members practice on their own at Ward Hill and Wachusett. They compete in slalom, giant slalom, and downhill races against Worcester Academy and other schools in the vicinity of Worcester. There are some very good skiers on the team; last year's record was six wins and no losses. Although Massachusetts' climate does not lend itself very well to this sport, the team tries to get together and enjoy this beneficial sport as often as weather permits. This year, the ski team has met on an informal basis, but there are hopes that the team will become progressively better organized in the near future and that it will be able to meet stiff competition on a year to year basis.







INTRAMURALS



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ORGANIZATIONS



STUDENT-FACULTY SENATE

The Student-Faculty Senate is a forum designed to promote a better school spirit and an improved living relationship among the students, the instructors and the administrators. To achieve these goals, the Senate consists of members of all three groups who talk over pertinent situations in the school. Weekly meetings, which are open to the school population, provide a stimulus for discussion among all concerned members of the school. In addition, the open forum meetings allow all those present to voice their opinions.

Also affiliated with the Senate are numerous subcommittees which delve deeply into particular areas of concern to the school community. Included are an Executive Committee, a Handbook Committee, a Personal Appearance Committee, and most importantly, a Social Com-





mittee. It is this committee which plans, organizes and runs all of the varied social events at school.

Although still in its infancy, the Senate and its subcommittees are showing great promise. Stressing dialogue and suggestions rather than legislation, as well as greater participation seem to be the keys to more fruitful results. Already it has opened new doors of mutual trust and confidence. Moreover, many suggestions are now being incorporated and many more are being considered for next year to help make school life more enjoyable and more meaningful.

The present success is an indication of future greatness. The possibilities seem infinite. The road, however, will not be easy. Enthusiasm, hard work, and dialogue will be necessary, but they will undoubtedly bring this potential into the realm of reality.



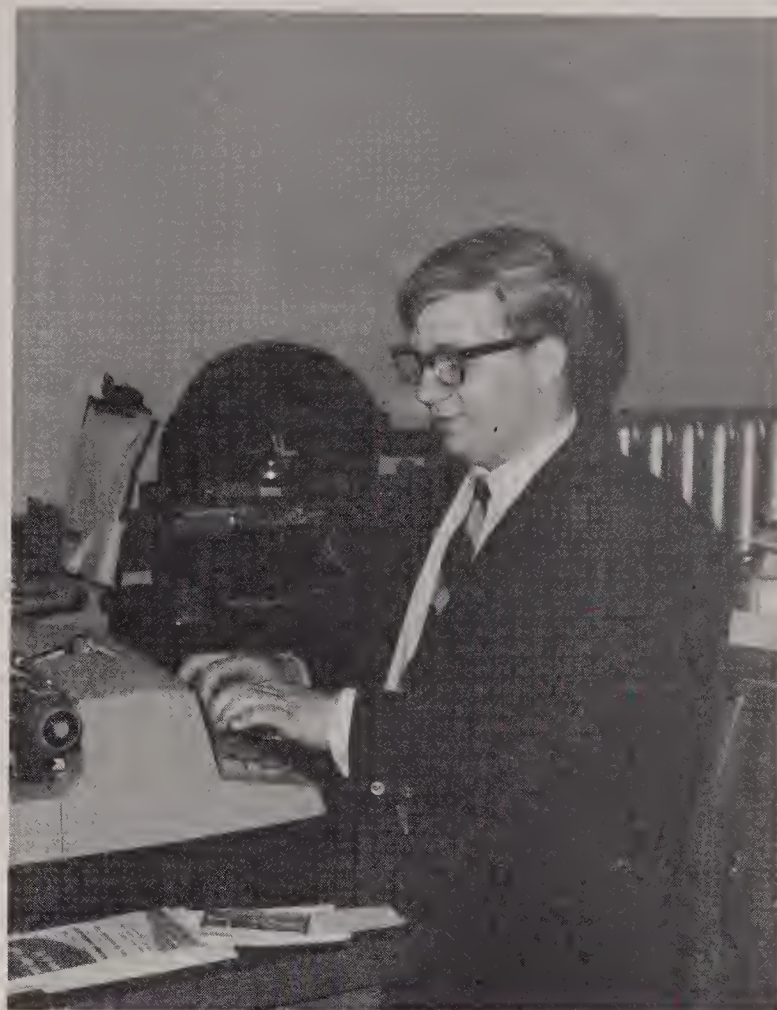


MEMINI

The aim of the *Memini* is, of course, to speak of a year. Yet the *Memini* cannot be called sheer history, for it is not based entirely on fact. This yearbook attempts to mirror a mood, to realize an attitude. The people and the events of this year seem to have reflected a questioning of tradition, and the editors and their staff have attempted a perceptive and honest inquiry into the attitudes of these people and the inevitability of these events. Realizing fully that a publication of this sort does not necessarily change much in the ultimate scheme of things, the literary staff has persisted in maintaining an atmosphere of seriousness hoping to create a minimum of literary pretentiousness so often found in student publications.



The 1968 *Memini* is structurally dissimilar from recent tradition-bound yearbooks. The thematic opening, correlating verbal images with meaningful photography is undoubtedly the pride of our publication. Although the absence of biographies in the senior portrait section caused a slight controversy, the editors and staff all agree that this move was in the best interest of the book since this innovation yielded an increase of space in which we could more meaningfully represent the year. As a result, the 1968 *Memini* is more than thirty pages longer than any previous edition. More important, however, is the hope that by depicting the atmosphere of the school accurately we have caused the quality of this publication to outweigh in importance the added number of pages.





PRESS CLUB

The Press Club publishes a newspaper called the *Heritage*; of course, this newspaper must show the results of efforts to attain certain strived-for ideals. The student population likes to think that the Press Club is charged with the numerous responsibilities of recording and reflecting in the *Heritage* that which is of importance and of interest to the society the newspaper serves. Its prime task is that of reporting, clearly and concisely, happenings in contemporary society. Also, it must evaluate and consolidate these current events through just editorials. Feature articles, as well as regular columns, provide added dimension and interest. Ultimately, our newspaper should present material which is real and pertinent to its audience.

The paper includes several kinds of articles: features, news articles, and editorials. Its topics range from changes in the school administration to the question

of the "draft," and from reviews of the "Moby Grape" to critiques of books of national interest. Because it tries to maintain a diversity in the subject of its articles, the Press Club necessarily must have a large staff. Therefore, it is opened to any student who wishes to write for the *Heritage* and should ideally give its members the chance to experience firsthand the many challenges of journalism.

Because of the revamping of the staff and because of the high costs of printing, the Press Club failed to publish an edition of the *Heritage* until January of the school year. This, of course, was unfortunate. However, under the joint editorship of John DeVries and Robert Fournier, the club once again began moving towards its ideals during the second half of the school year. Since it has emerged from its brief period of instability, the Press Club is again publishing the *Heritage* in the true spirit of journalism.



CONSIDER

Consider has grown out of the need for a more meaningful communication between students—those of Notre Dame Academy and Assumption Prep in particular. *Consider* offers an opportunity to go beyond superficial news and express our feelings, experiences, and thoughts as persons who are really becoming aware of what it means to be alive. Each of us possesses a wealth of experience which has moulded and formed our opinions, attitudes, impressions, thought patterns, outlook, ideas, values, and goals. If we didn't hoard this wealth and weren't contented only with what we ourselves could gather, we could give to and learn so much from each other.

This sharing of ideas is what our magazine, the students' magazine, can help us to accomplish. It exists in order to enable us to improve the means of communication; communication draws people together. It unites them, for unity is obviously lacking within our society today.

The scope of the articles can range from the inner dimensions of our lives to our contact with the issues of the day. The one common factor will be the personal approach and style which assures a rich variety of views.

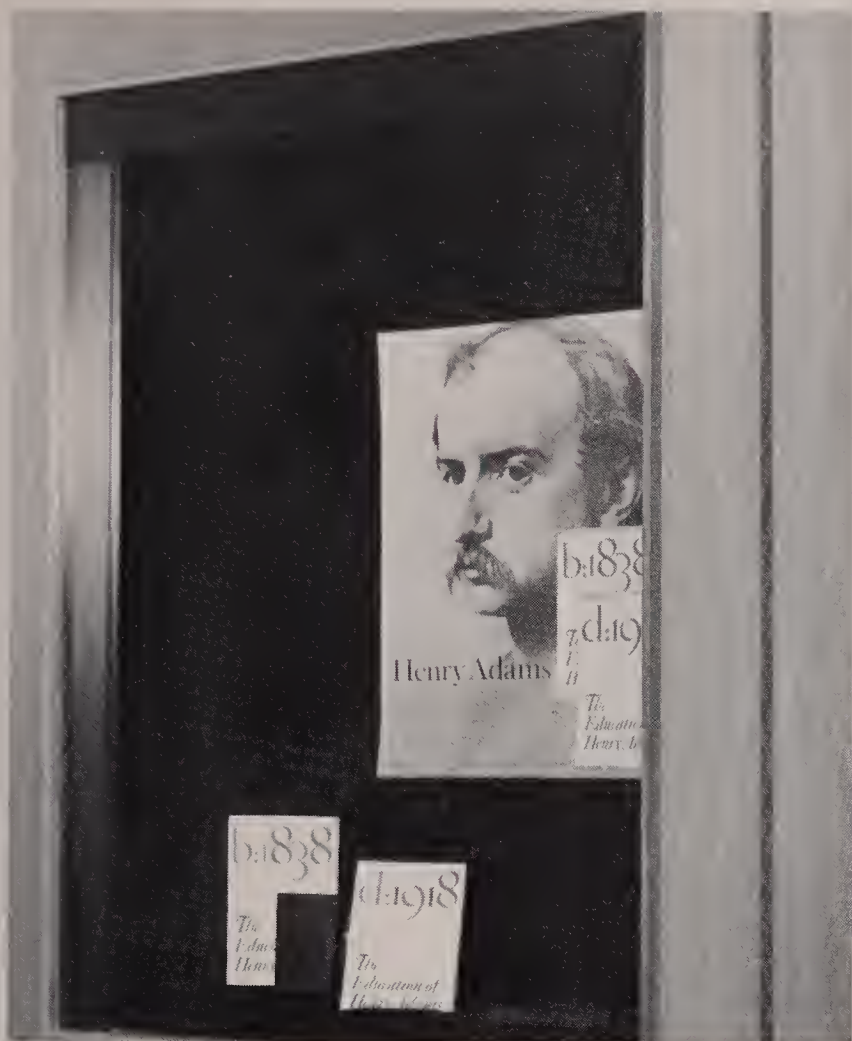
Consider exists for *our* benefits. If we want to share and communicate our ideas and unite our generation, then we should "consider" this magazine as a means of bringing about these objectives.

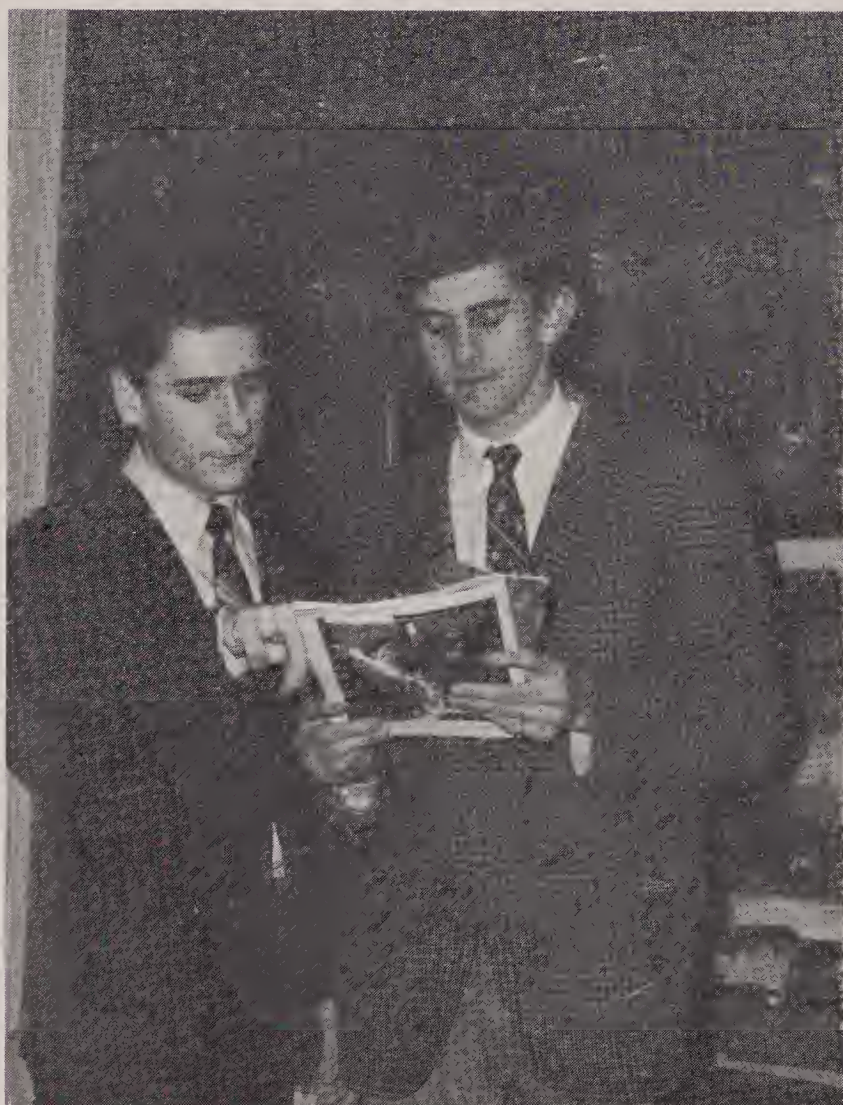


NATIONAL
HONOR
SOCIETY

*"Honor and truth and manhood—
These are the things that stand."*

—Olson





CULTURE CLUB

Moderated by Mr. Michael Tronic, the Culture Club provides a selected group of students with background in literature and the Fine Arts not immediately available in the classroom. Weekly discussions are supplemented by trips to concerts, museums, plays, and films in Worcester and Boston. However, with the recent increase in on-campus cultural life centered in Hebert Auditorium, trips outside Worcester have become less frequent this year, with the exception of occasional Saturday evening visits to Boston to hear the *Boston Symphony Orchestra*.

The Culture Club was started last year by a group of students attracted to the Fine Arts and interested in pursuing an extracurricular cultural program. Some of the more memorable events were plays seen at the Fenwick Theater at Holy Cross College, and the trips to Boston, one of the most inspiring being our visit to Boston's *Fine Arts Museum*.

Mr. Tronic gave weekly lectures on sculpture, dance, painting, and drama, but many of these meetings were spent listening to music on LP albums which took in practically every recorded composer. Much time was devoted to the opera, Mr. Tronic's favorite topic. The group was most impressed with the works of Tschaikovsky, Verdi, Mozart, and Beethoven.



ALPHA RHO TAU

The Greek letters alpha, rho, and tau form the word "art". Alpha Rho Tau at Assumption is a group of thirteen seniors who have come together in an effort to better understand the fine arts.

Lectures and demonstrations, given by members of the faculty as well as by outside authorities, are used as preparation for the better appreciation of cultural events taking place at Herbert Auditorium, in Worcester, and in Boston. During this year, the society has studied ballet, painting, and music, both classical and contemporary.

Since the main objective of the participants is personal enlightenment, attendance at all functions is purely voluntary. It is the spirit and desire of the individuals which keeps the group functioning. One factor in this spirit is the guidance of Father George, the faculty moderator.

This type of society is not one which continues concretely from year to year. It is an ideal which must be reborn each fall in an entirely new group of seniors.





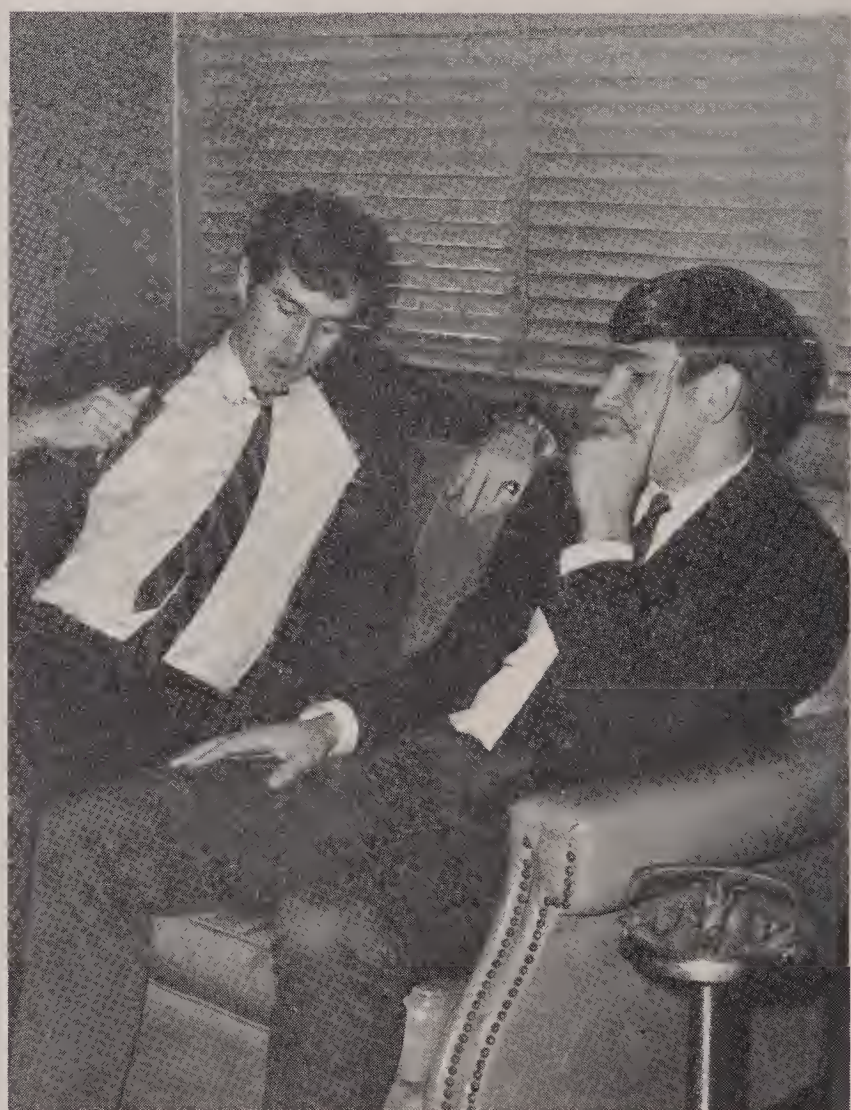
PARIS PAR ICI

Connu officiellement sous le nom de *Paris Par Ici*, le Club Français est ouvert à tous les étudiants qui s'intéressent à la culture française. Son but est d'encourager les étudiants à parler français et de les éveiller aux philosophies des grands penseurs que la France a connus. Les membres étudient les grands auteurs: Molière, Racine, et Corneille, mais cela sans oublier les auteurs contemporains comme Sartre et Claudel. Aussi discutent-ils de la politique et ses grands hommes: De Gaulle et le marché commun ou Johnson et la guerre du Vietnam.

Le père Yvon qui dirige le club organise parfois des sorties où les membres peuvent voir des films français ainsi que des pièces de théâtre.

L'année se termine par une randonnée en auto dont les finissants se souviendront longtemps. Les membres visitent des musées, des sites historiques et pour combler la journée, ils dînent dans un grand restaurant français de Boston.

En deux mots, ce club nous démontre que l'on peut s'enrichir intellectuellement tout en se divertissant.



BLAISE PASCAL CLUB

Adolescence is traditionally a time of self-discovery, a time to re-evaluate the tired mores and lifeless beliefs which men follow and which children imitate. It is fitting that such personal reflections find encouragement and direction through exposure to great philosophies, and that they gain perspective through open and personal discussions. For these reasons, and many others, the Blaise Pascal Club was organized by Father Gerard this year. The members meet weekly to comment and to expound upon various readings in the philosophies of Pascal and Teilhard de Chardin. The club is small, to facilitate discussion and to permit free, personal expression. Yet it is open to all who profess an interest in philosophy and who are willing to pursue this interest.

Father Gerard stresses the importance of a Christian philosophy of life in the personal goals and faith which direct our lives. He tries to help members of the club understand not only the philosophical notions but also the many ramifications which grow from an active acceptance and utilization of these ideas.

The Blaise Pascal Club is a much-needed addition to the extracurricular life at Assumption. It brings the platonic to a personal level of participation; it gives its members an idea of what it is to *live* one's beliefs.



MU ALPHA THETA

One of the traditional clubs at Assumption, Mu Alpha Theta endeavors to extend and to strengthen the student's interest and abilities in the field of mathematics. Through weekly gatherings and periodic "Math Meets" with other schools, the club members practice and perfect their abilities not only to compute problems but also to understand the "why's" and the "how's" of basic mathematical laws. For a number of years, Father Ildefons has been the moderator and an active source of inspiration for this club. He continues successfully in this capacity.

Among the more dedicated students are Sung Cherl Kim and Steve Diguette. In past years as well as in 1968, they have provided severe competition at "Math Meets" and have demonstrated sincere interest in the subject. However, they are not alone; students from all classes are invited to join and to participate in the club's activities.

All in all, Mu Alpha Theta must be considered one of the most active organizations on campus. It nicely complements the standard classroom activities of the curriculum with an informal yet vital dimension which adds depth and meaning to the subject it handles.





HISTORY CLUB

The History Club was initiated this year by a group of interested students and Mr. Robert Flagg. This club is different from the history clubs in the past in that there are no formal seminars or lectures. The History Club is mainly for those students who not only want to read about history but who also want to see the places and things that helped make the history they read about in their texts. History becomes more than just words and dates for the student. The club has visited such places as the Worcester Historical Society, Old Sturbridge Village, Plymouth Rock, the Salem Maritime Museum, the Prudential Building, and the Peabody Museum. Under the direction of Mr. Flagg and the trip guides, the students were able to get a first-hand explanation of the different places and things they had seen. Also, by being able to browse around the different sites by themselves, the students were able to have some interesting and rewarding afternoons. These trips were not only interesting for the students—they also helped them understand better the history course they were studying at the time.





YAF

Young Americans for Freedom is a national conservative organization comprising more than thirty thousand concerned Americans, most of whom belong to the 16-30 age group. It has over five hundred chapters coast-to-coast. The aims of YAF are to further the concepts and programs of responsible Conservatism through effective education and political action. YAF is not a political party nor is it an auxiliary to either the Republicans or Democrats. YAF is strongly anti-communist; it opposes any kind of excessive statism, be it socialism, nazism, or an oppressive extension of Federal bureaucracy in the United States. The membership of YAF condemns religious and racial bigotry as injurious to the honor of both the individual and the community.

The Douglas MacArthur chapter of YAF was founded at Assumption on December 1, 1966. The chapter's activities have constituted anti-communist and economic films and discussions, trips to Holy Cross and Boston, attendance at Regional Conferences and a National Convention, and work in the 1968 New Hampshire primary for Governor Reagan. Anyone in agreement with YAF's Conservative position may join.



FREEDOM'S HOUSE

In a community such as we have here at school, we must keep aware of the political and social forces which shape our contemporary world. Freedom's House is one such organization at Assumption through which this awareness is established. Freedom's House does not formally associate itself with specific political parties or philosophies; its doors are opened to any interested student, whether he calls himself a Democrat or Republican, a liberal or conservative. In essence, a thoroughly candid inter-play of ideas—whatever they may be—is encouraged.

The range of the topics discussed, encompassing both international and domestic issues, has been wide. Secretary of Defense McNamara's move to the World Bank, economic problems both at home and abroad, the war in Viet Nam, the draft, civil rights, the upcoming elections—these are a few of the prominent issues debated. The ideas brought forth in the debates have been as varied as the topics with which we concerned ourselves.

The atmosphere—intense but not heated—has provided the setting for a valuable exchange of ideas in many instances. This atmosphere has enabled the individual to adapt the presented ideas to his own philosophy in his own way.





SERVICE CORPS

The purpose of the Service Corps is to help those in need of help—those afflicted with disease, poverty, physical handicaps, old age—and to help them in a truly Christian spirit. The members of the Service Corps seek not only to receive constantly, but to give of themselves, to communicate, to relate. This helping—this giving—instills in every member a feeling of accomplishment and personal involvement. What else could give such a feeling of fulfillment as hearing a young “delinquent” sing a song about friendship? Countless examples such as this show Service Corps members what human nature is and what people are really like.

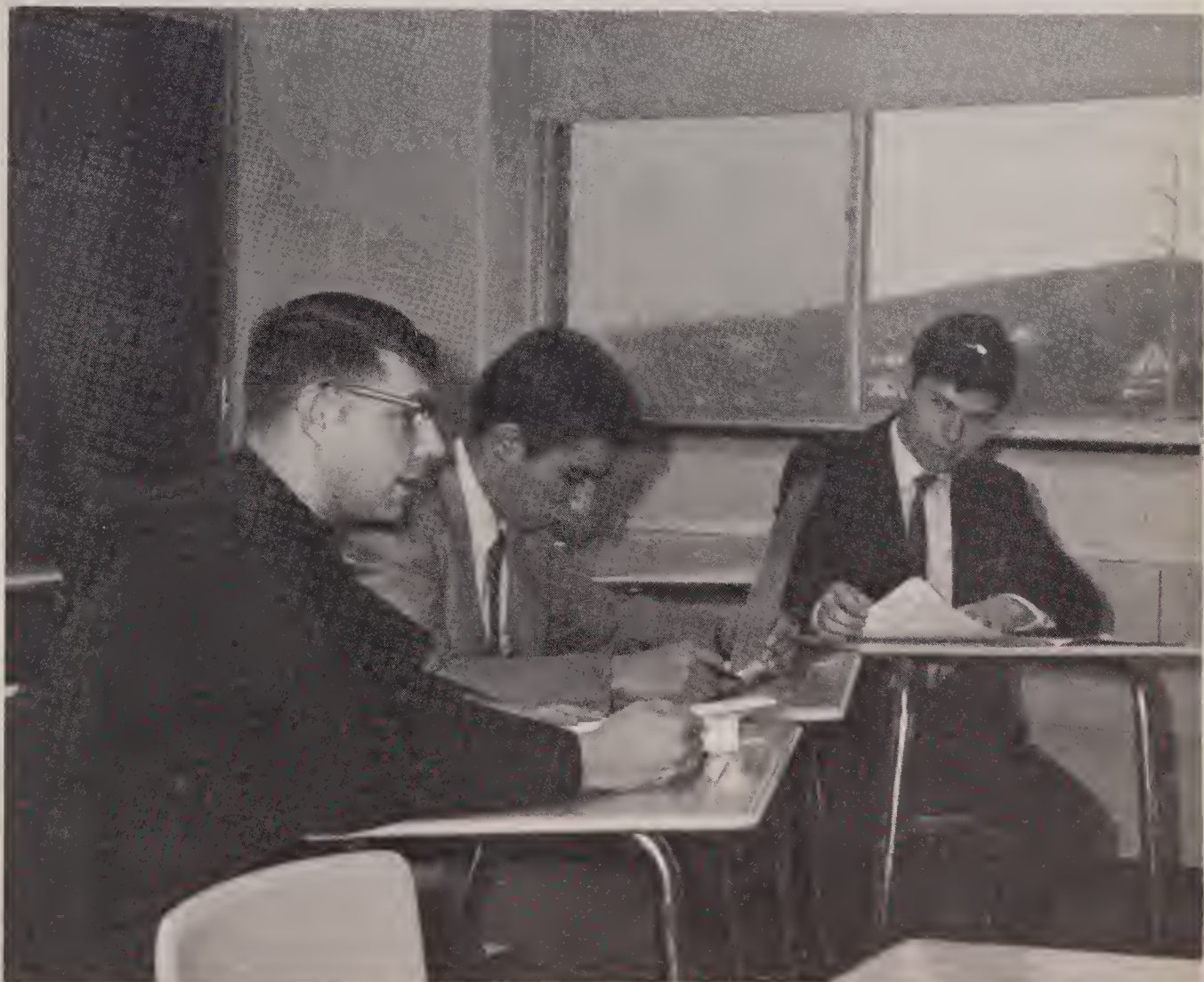
At Assumption, over fifty students participate in Service Corps programs. These programs are varied and widespread; they include working with boys at the Nazareth Home and John Augustus Hall as well as helping “The Little Sisters of the Assumption.” Another project which is currently being discussed is the possibility of working with the retarded children at Our Lady of Mercy School. The work which is done, for example, at John Augustus Hall is merely playing with the children (their ages range from eight to thirteen) at various sports. This may seem insignificant, but

it shows them that there are people outside their small community who do care enough to share time with them.

In addition to these projects, weekly meetings were held by elected class representatives who discuss past, present, and future plans for the group. It is currently under the direction of Brother Richard Mandeville. The president of the group is Mario Santiago, a senior. The next level consists of team captains who meet once a month; they discuss any problems or ideas that their teams have encountered in visiting the various project sites. Finally, there is a meeting once a month of all Service Corps members. Business is discussed and usually a special feature is added. For example, one week a nun presented a movie concerning the problems and circumstances of social work. During another meeting a priest from Assumption College spoke of his experiences in Spanish and Negro sections of New York City during “the long, hot summer.”

Finally, the Service Corps sponsored a dance in March to raise money for the continued work of the group, thus assuring that future work will be meaningful, fulfilling, and valuable.

ORGANIZATIONS





YCS

Y. C. S. (Young Christian Students), better known this year at Assumption as Action '68, is an active organization. To the members it is an experience—or an attempt—to become more Christ-like. But what does this mean? To a member it means quite a lot.

In the world he is an *actor* in a complex and mysterious society. At Assumption Prep he is an *actor* in a different society, though often still a complex and mysterious one. In the life of the school in all its aspects—one's awareness of God, academics, activities and personal growth—his role is to be a leader.

At the outset, a Y. C. S. member learns to want to improve himself and the world around him. That a Christian high school student begins thinking along the lines of self-improvement is a legitimate quest, since the more fully human we are, the closer we are to God. The more we become a true person—one who thinks and loves—the more we become Christ-like.

The Y. C. S. member wants to have

pride in the school, and he wants his classmates to do the same. In weekly meetings and in summer training sessions, he learns to practice the three basic principles—observe, judge, and act. If he sees any problem in the school, he feels it his duty to have this problem corrected. In the weekly meetings, he consults with the other members in an attempt to gather facts and to judge the situation as a Christian. Then there is the *action*. The role of leadership in the member is only achieved to the degree that he acts. On one hand, his action might be a few choice words to a friend or the setting of an example for many to follow; on the other, he might help to sponsor certain long range projects—tutoring programs, folk concerts, group discussions, etc.—to help better any situation in the school. Still, his influence must be somehow felt. It is impossible to have a dead organization that sincerely desires to become Christ-like. We boast of being alive.

ORGANIZATIONS





CHESS CLUB

The Chess Club is an informal organization for students interested in learning and playing the game. Though the club came into being just this year, much enthusiasm has been demonstrated by its members. Activities within the club consist of regular matches and tournaments which are held throughout the year. A reflection of the great interest of the members is the fact that absenteeism at the matches is almost nonexistent.

Participants find the game challenging. They therefore are in the process of planning to engage in a form of competition which will be new to them and which will more firmly establish their club in the school: inter-scholastic competition. The abilities of such players as Arnope Tantuvanich and co-chairmen Joe Marble and Paul Massaria, and the guidance of moderator Mr. Anthony St. Germain will indeed make this proposed move a reality.





STAMP CLUB

The Stamp Club was initiated at the beginning of this year by a group of enterprising freshmen and sophomores, and has since remained open to underclassmen. The Stamp Club provides interested collectors with an excellent opportunity to get together and trade their stamps. The objectives of this group are concerned with providing a means of obtaining new and rare stamps and to enable members to converse with people having the same interests. Some members insist that their reason for stamp collecting entails an investment for the future, yet the majority of philatelists look toward trading either as a hobby or a pleasure. Chairman Ron Duquette maintains that his members have a good opportunity to learn about foreign countries through the study of stamps. Needless to say, the value of stamp-collecting for the most part lies in the fact that this hobby gives the underclassmen a refreshing break from the routine—an opportunity for genuine relaxation.



EXPLORERS

Explorer Post 31 is a 95-boy organization chartered by the Boy Scouts of America. Now in its sixth year at Assumption, it has always maintained a substantial part of the student body in its enrollment. Since its origin, it has also fostered other clubs that have since branched off on their own.

This year especially has seen the post enter into several new areas. Among these have been the formation of the Rifle Club, a group chartered by the National Rifle Association; the Nipmuck Indian Dance Team, whose schedule has included a week-long engagement at Expo '67 and at numerous other week-end functions; the Assumption Prep Amateur Radio Club, a Ham Radio organization which does repair work and broadcasting; the Conservation Club, which is currently working under a government grant program; and lastly, the Ladies' Auxiliary, composed of mothers of post members and other women who donate their time towards helping the post raise money.

Besides these intra-post groups, the Explorer program at the school offers activities in swimming, lifesaving, carolling, boating, hiking, and camping. The latter is done extensively at Hebert Acres in Oakham. There the post has maintained and developed the school's property, donated by the Hebert family, while adding a rifle range, a dance team ring with bleachers, six organized

campsites, and many bird and animal shelters. Programs in merit badge work and for religious achievement awards are also held. At the present, a retreat format is being touched up which will give the boys the benefit of discussing their faith in sessions with a natural setting.

Explorer trips of the past have included four canoe trips, a trip to Canada, and many excursions throughout New England and the East coast, including visits to the National Scout Office. Most have been overnight camping trips where the boys stayed in the state forests. Furthermore, last year two members of this group went as representatives to the World Scout Jamboree in Idaho.

Financing all these activities has necessitated different fund-raising plans. These projects involved selling 200 Christmas trees and authentic Indian art from the Far West. It was the money from projects of this sort that has enabled the Post to hold two dances this year and also to run other service functions.

As a result of these numerous goings-on, Post 31 has been the recipient of several National Camping Awards and of the *Parent's Magazine* Outstanding Youth Group Award. This is just testimony to the fine work that was and is being done under the auspices of Father Joseph Fredette.







RIFLE CLUB

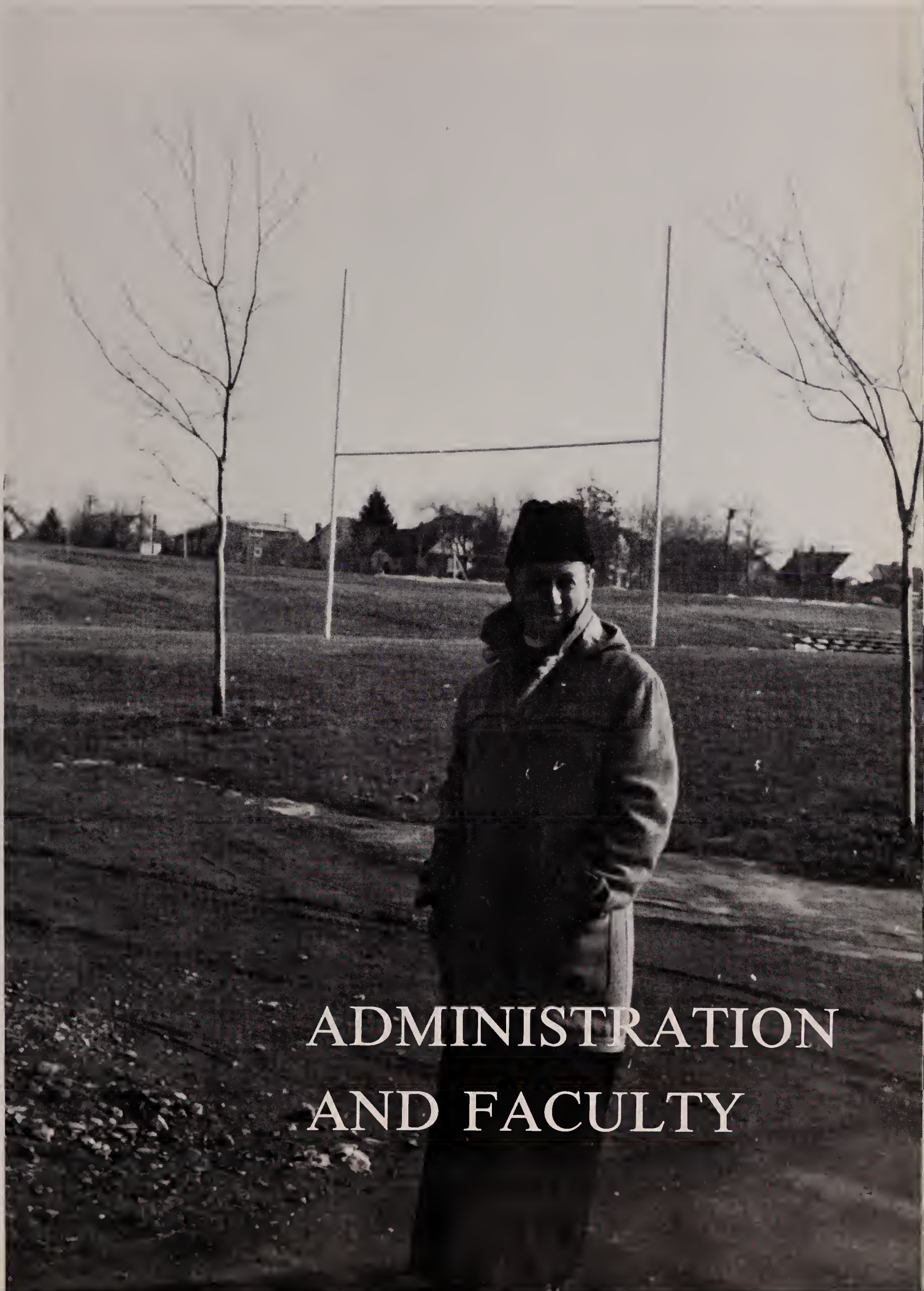
This year Assumption founded a new organization: the Rifle Club. It currently consists of fifteen members. Andrew Vikitset and Mike Mastrangelo lead the club as president and vice-president, while Andrew Quist serves as secretary-treasurer. The faculty advisor, Father Joseph Fredette, is assisted in his duties by instructors Mr. Bill Donne and Mr. James Malo.

Many of the members use their own rifles, the favorite being the Mossberg semi-target model 340-B. A practice range is provided for the club at Oakham, located nineteen miles from the campus. Meetings are held on campus, however, when a trip to Oakham does not prove feasible.

Still in its first year, the Rifle Club has already participated in the 1967 Massachusetts Rifle Championships, where Andrew Vikitset won the first place trophy.



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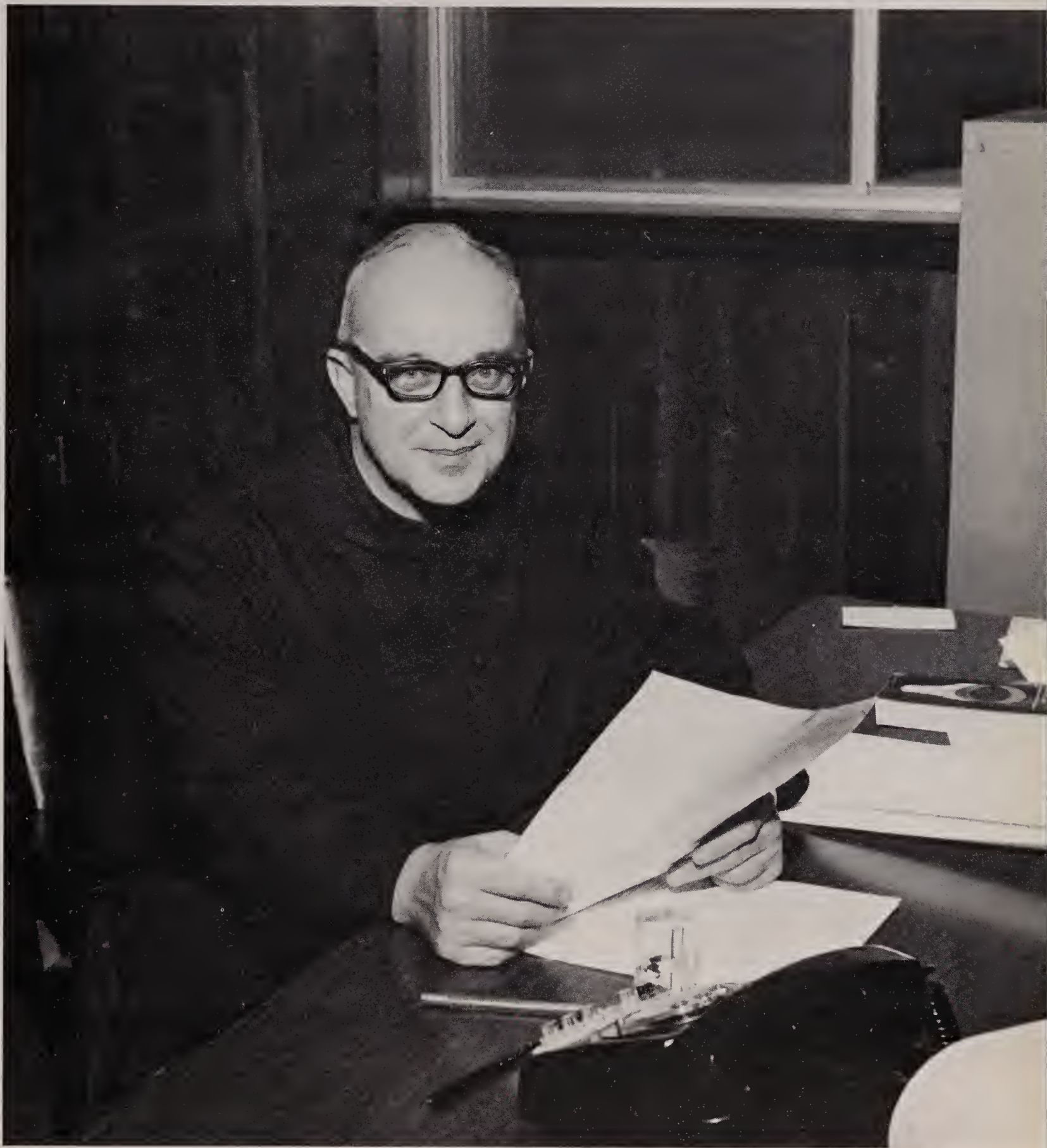
A dedication—

to those involved

in the community

called Assumption . . .

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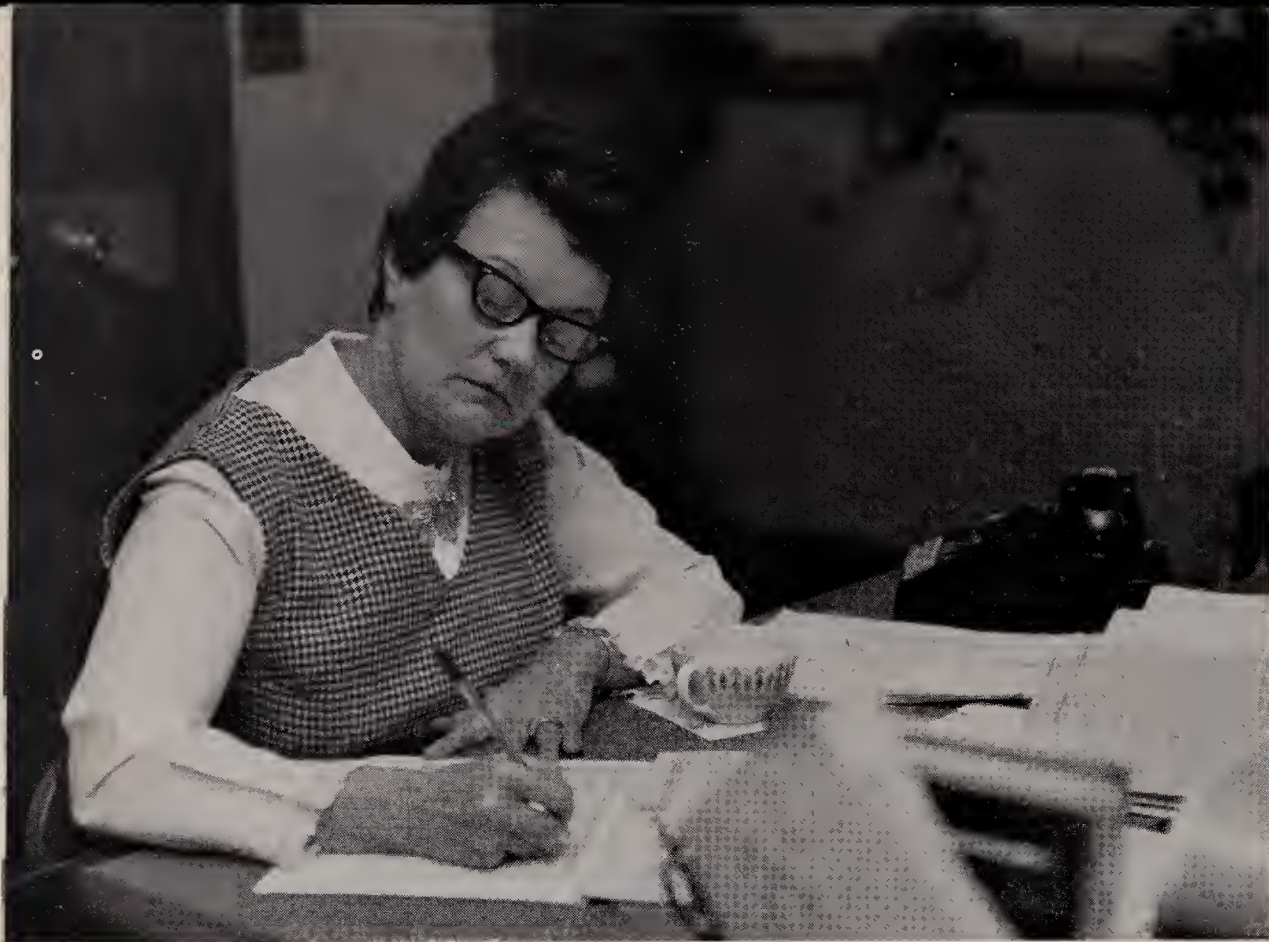
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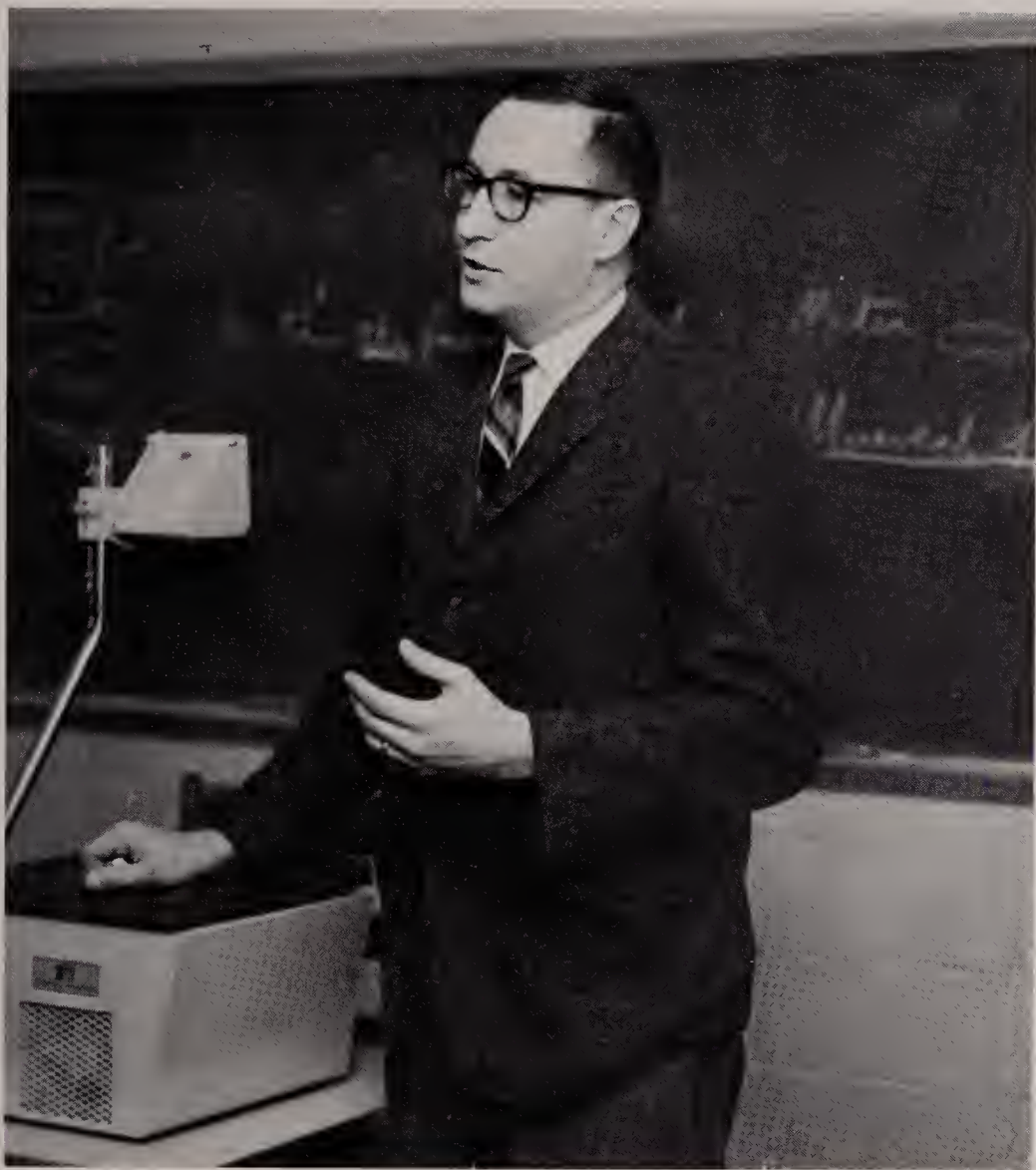


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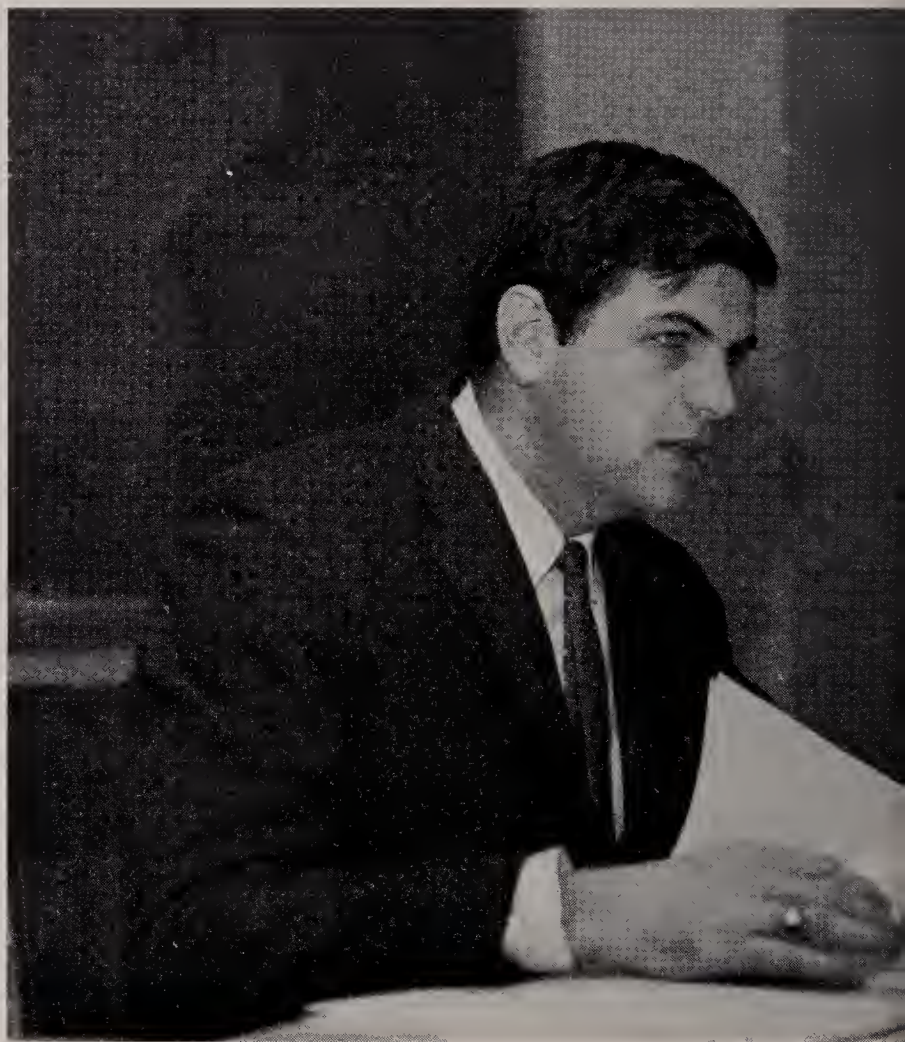
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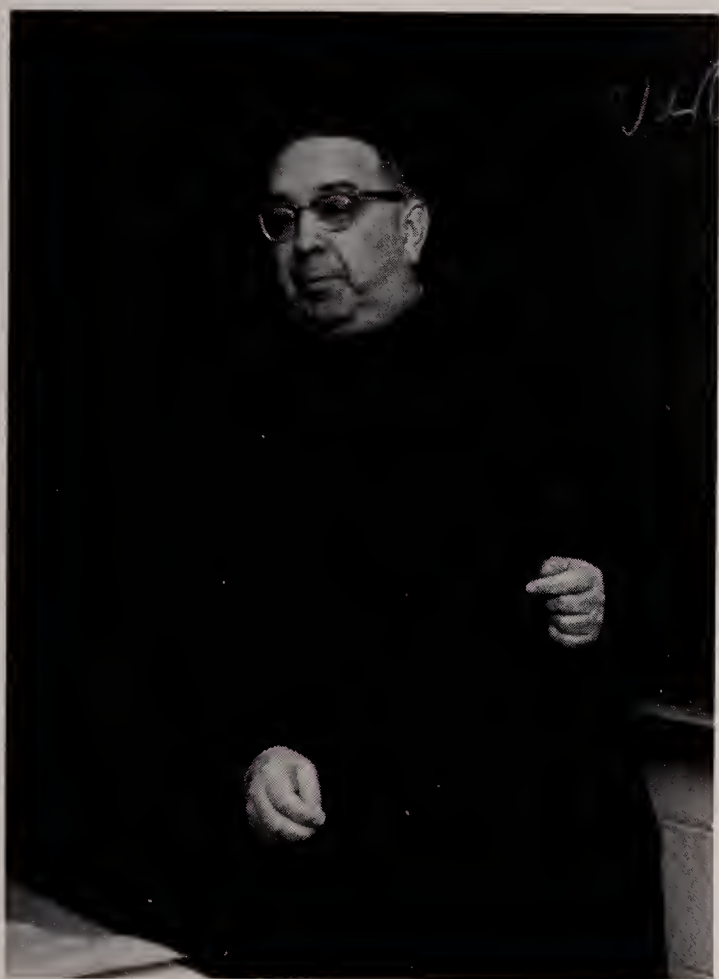


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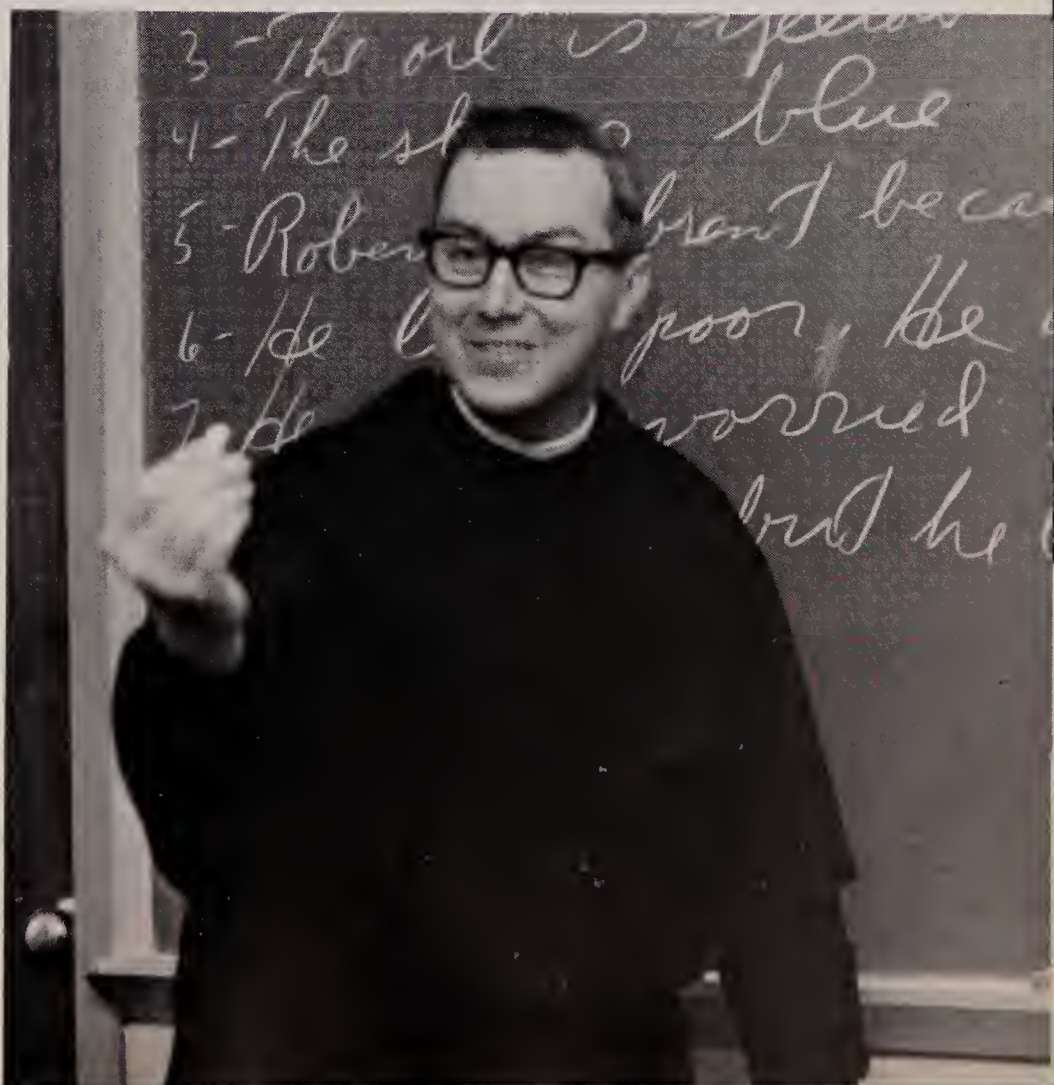
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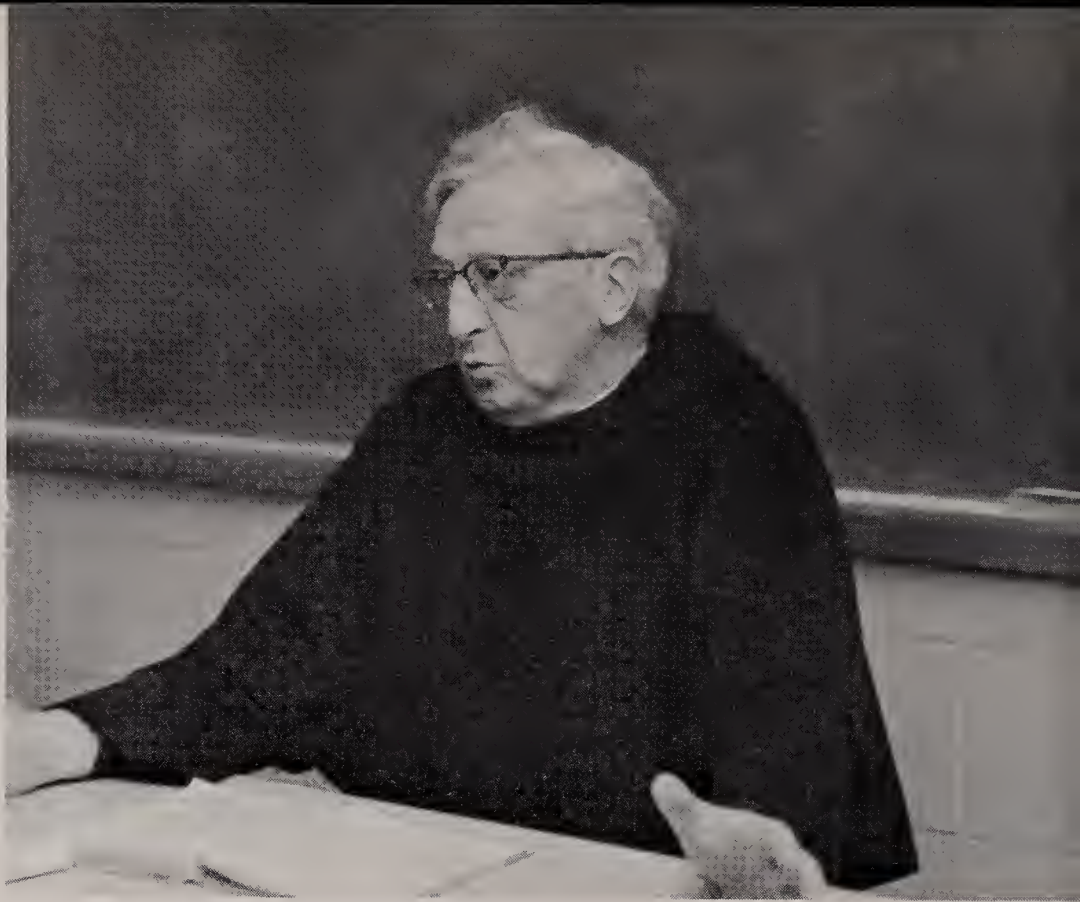


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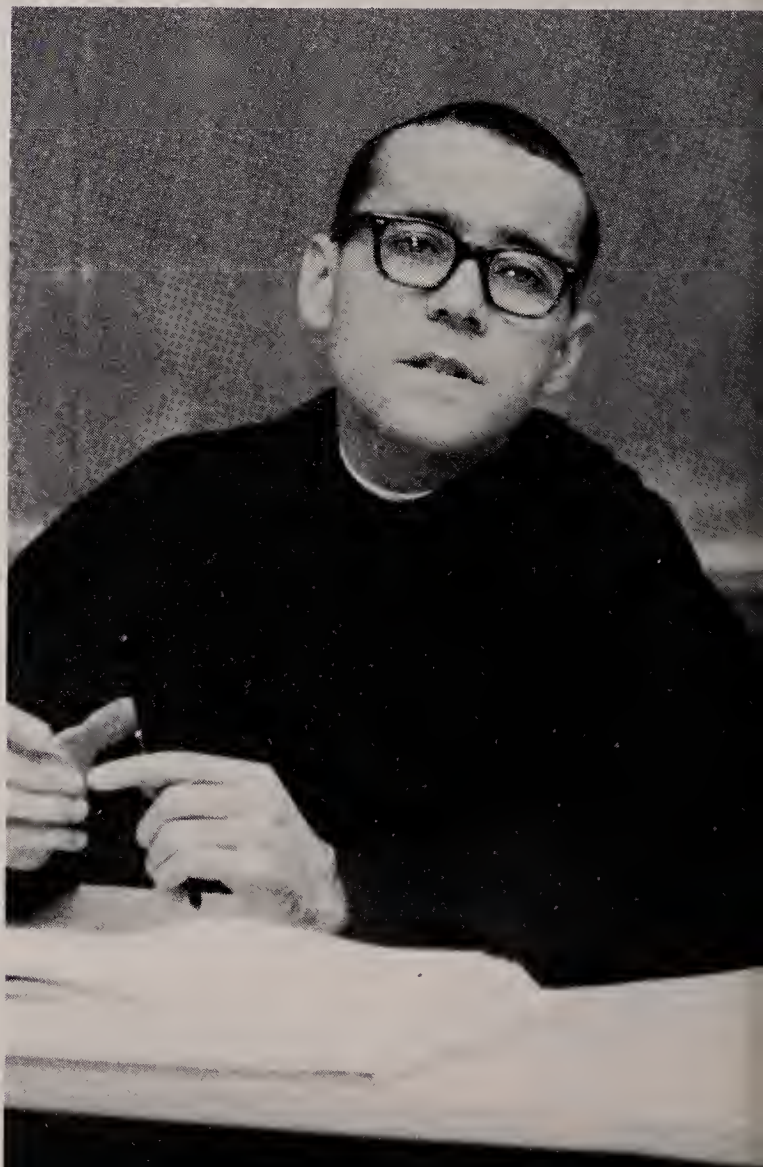
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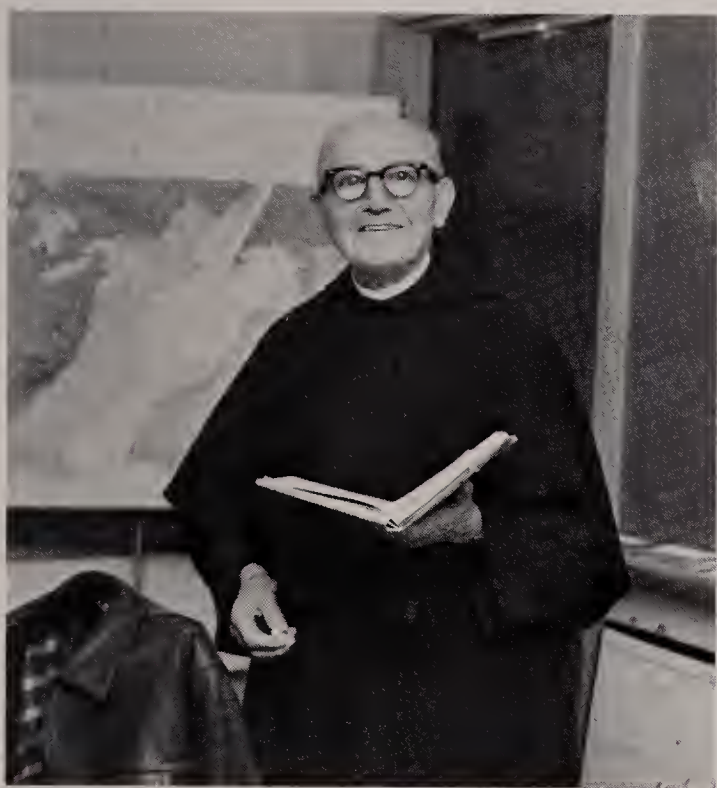


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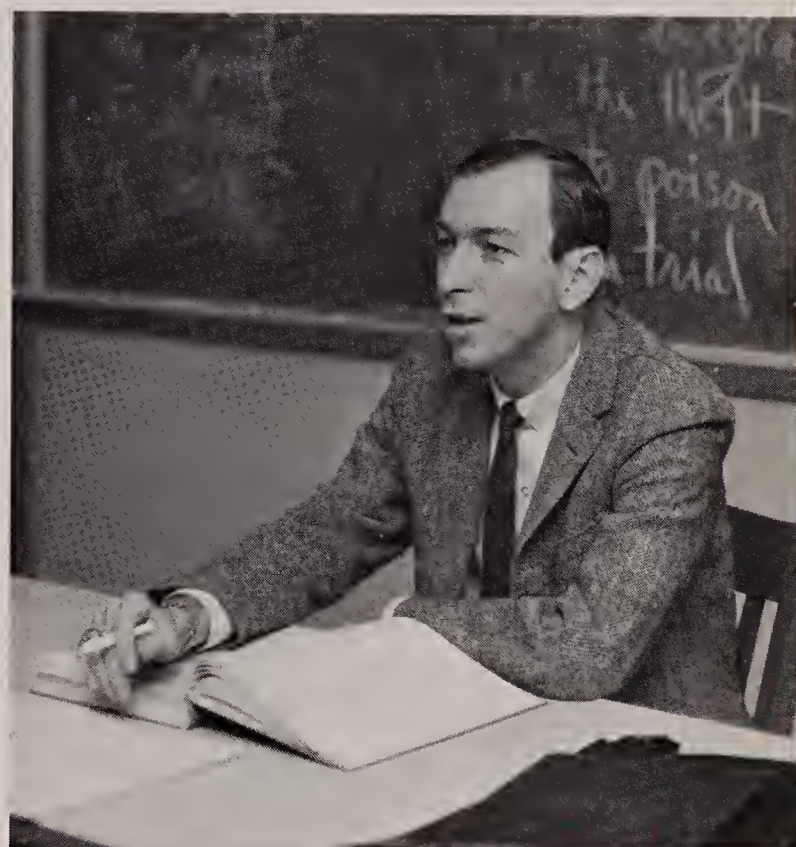
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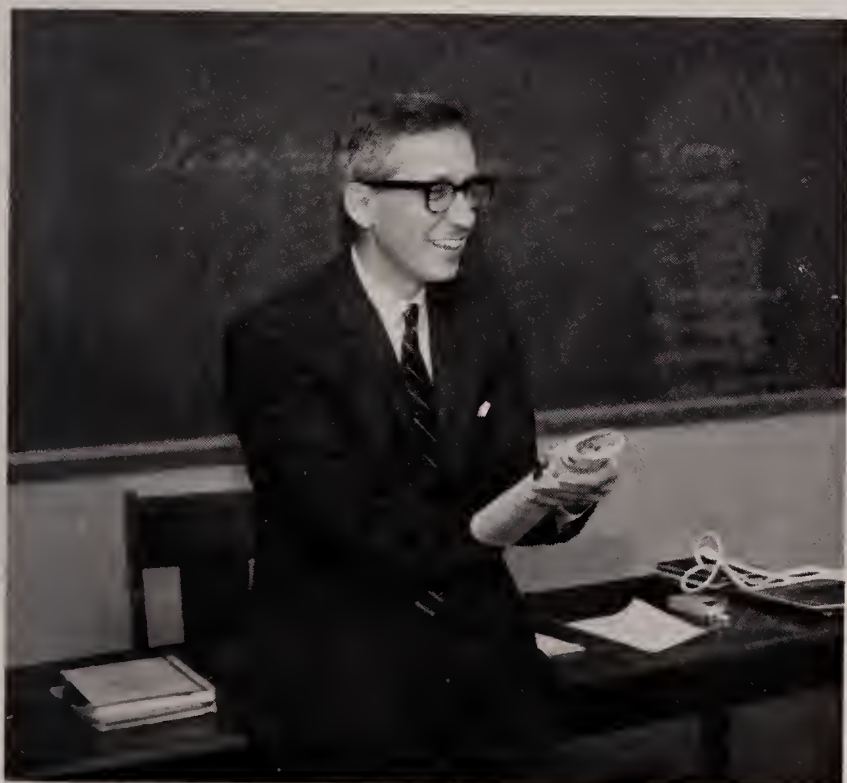
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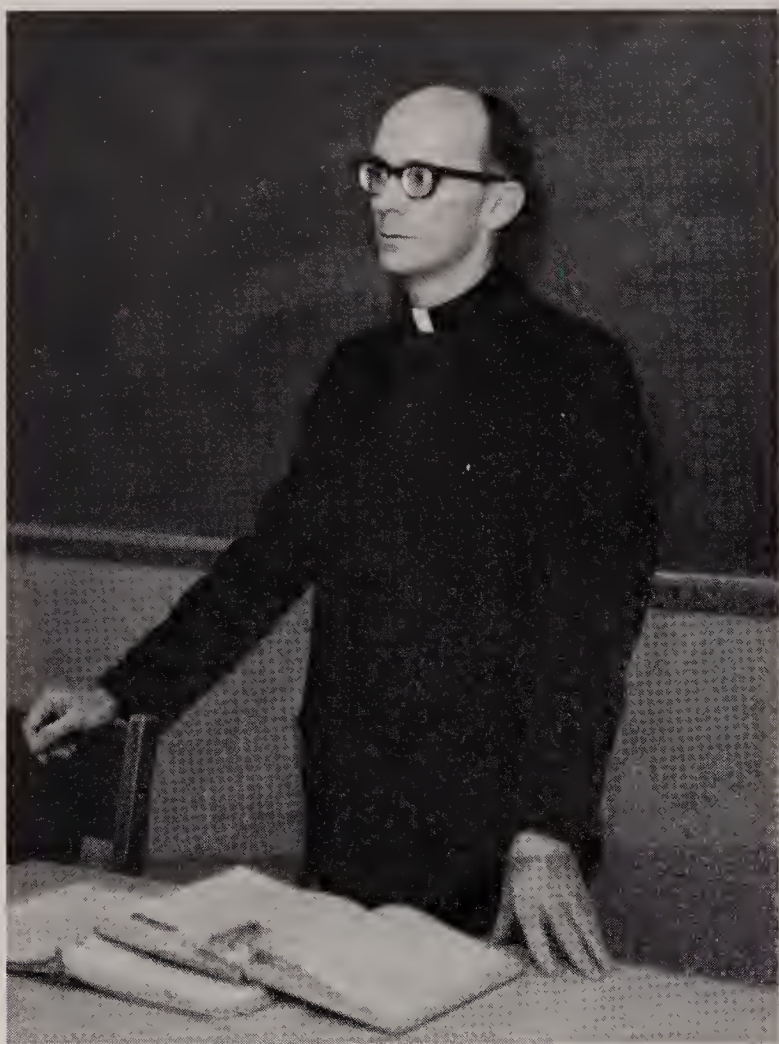
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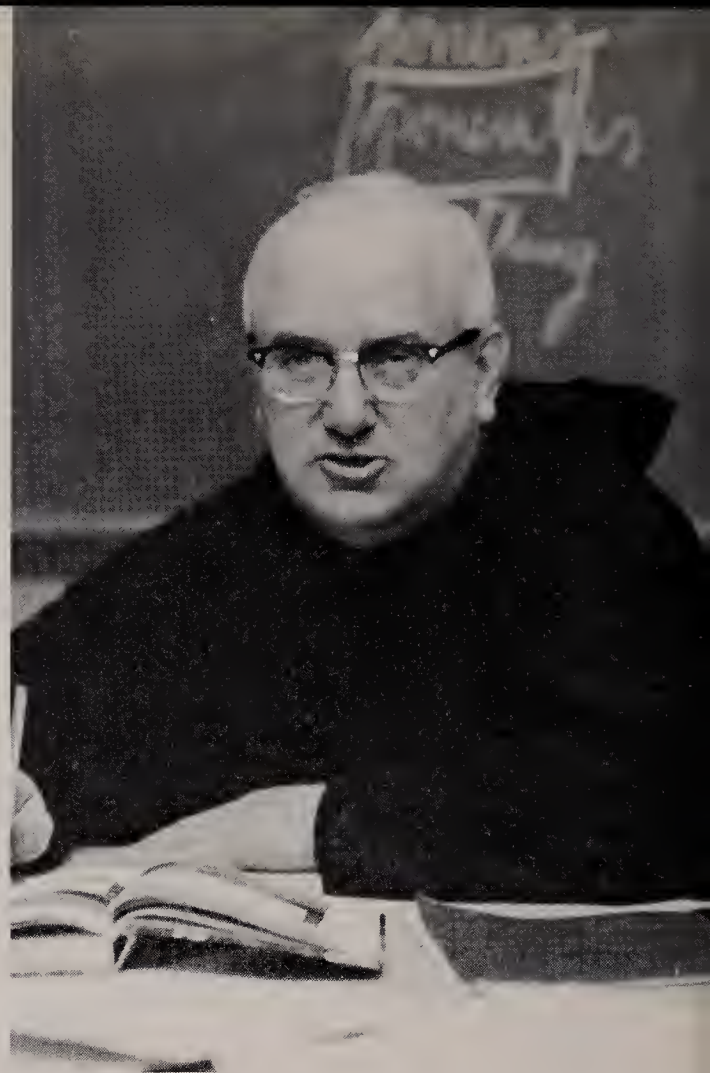
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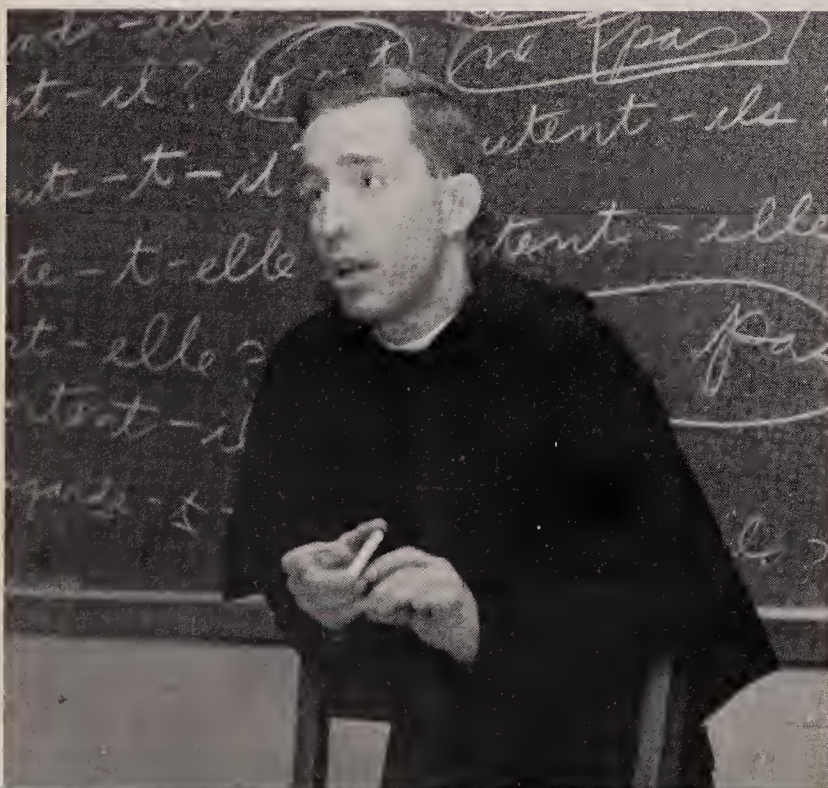
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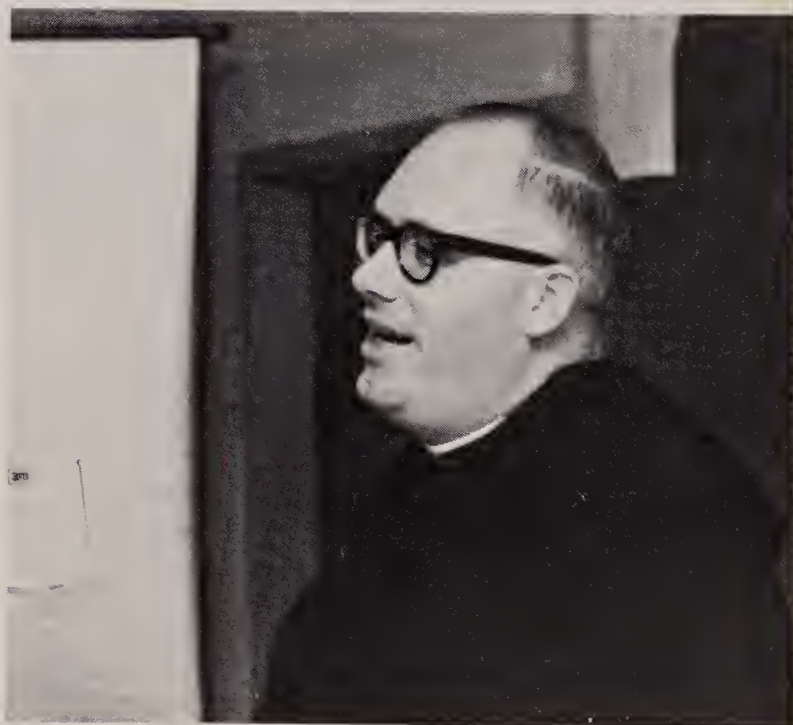
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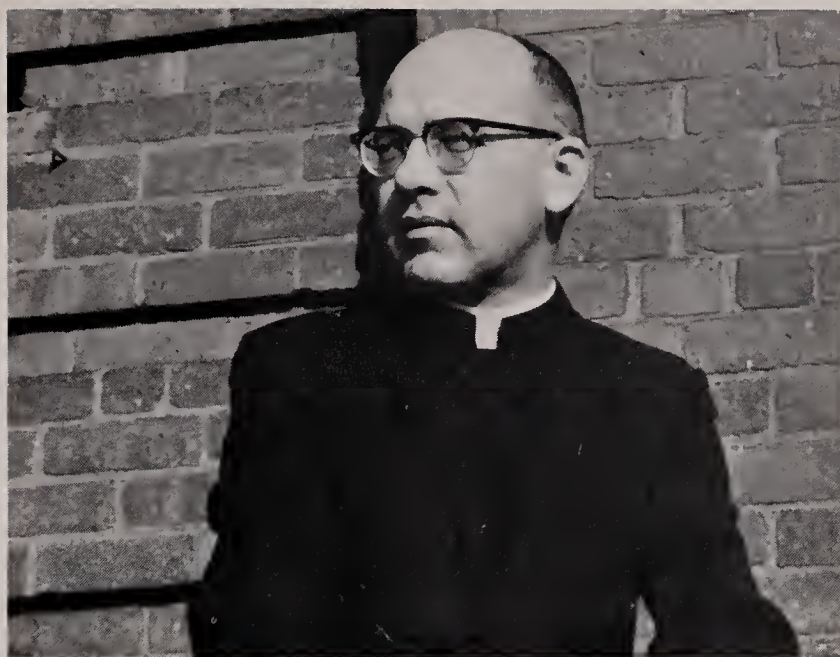


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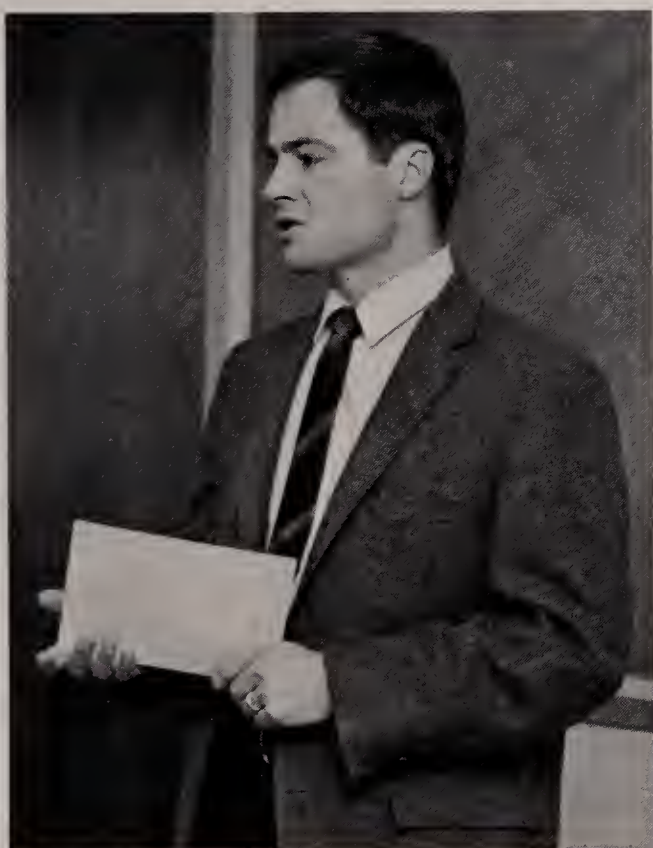
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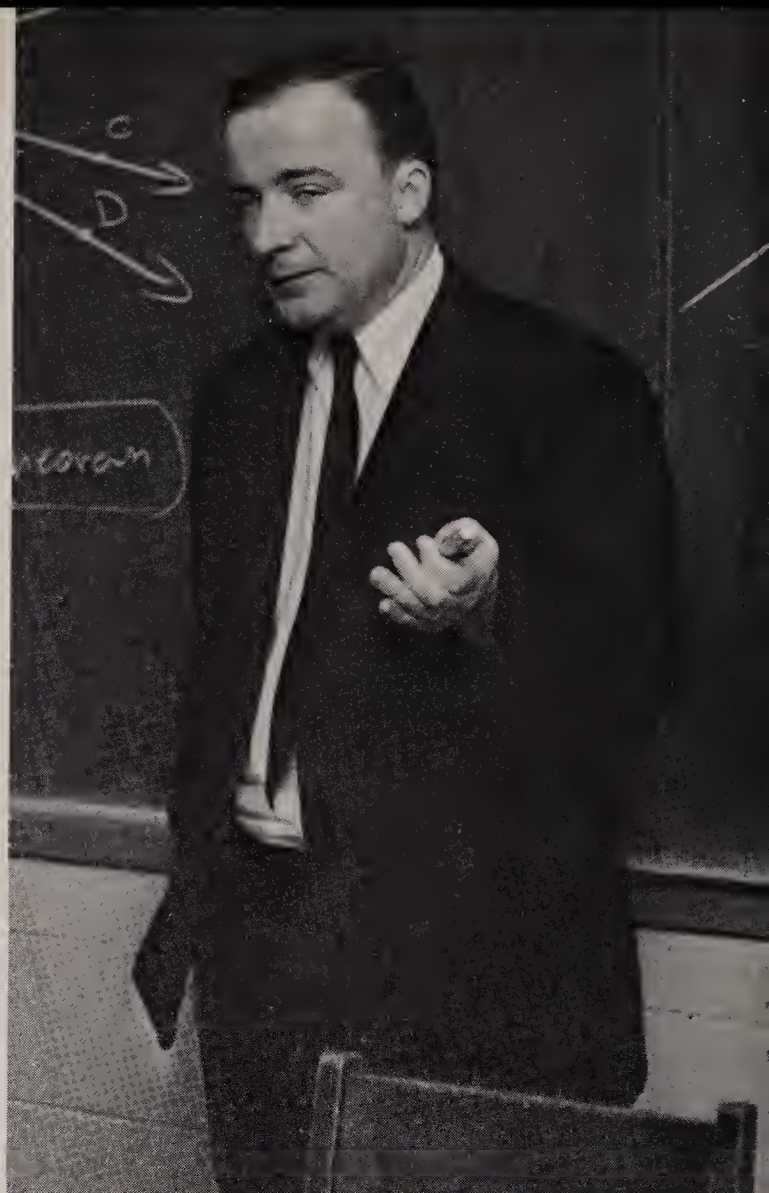
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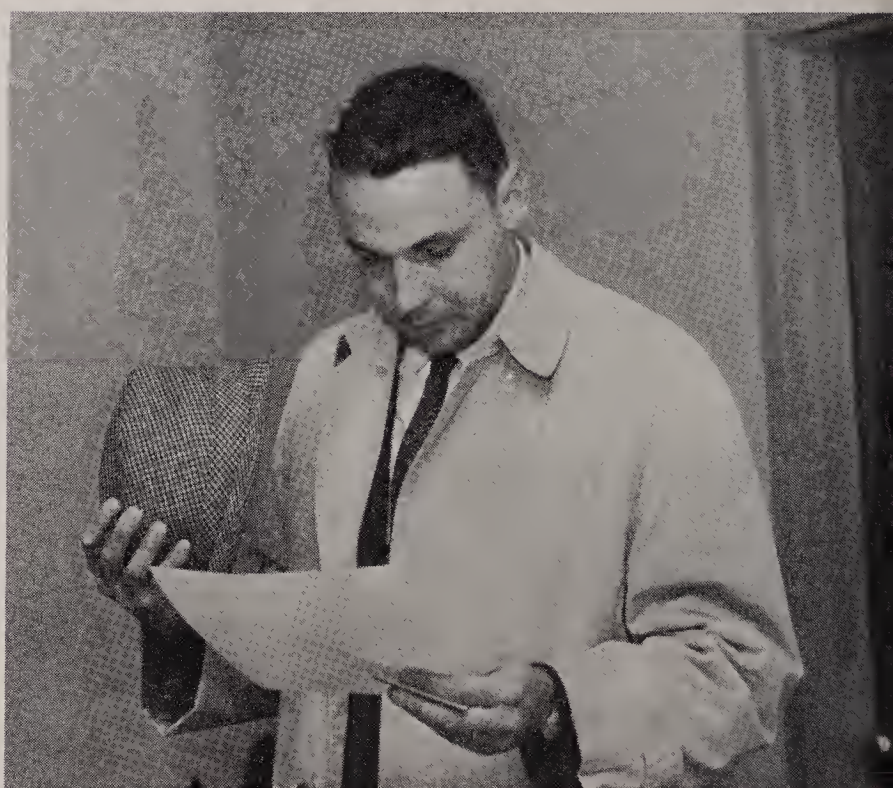
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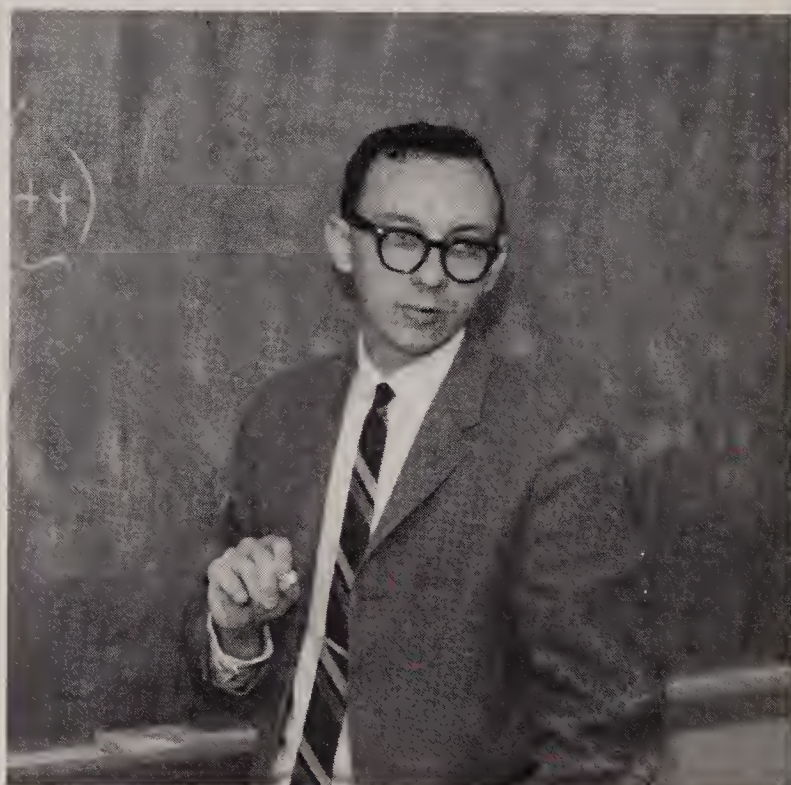
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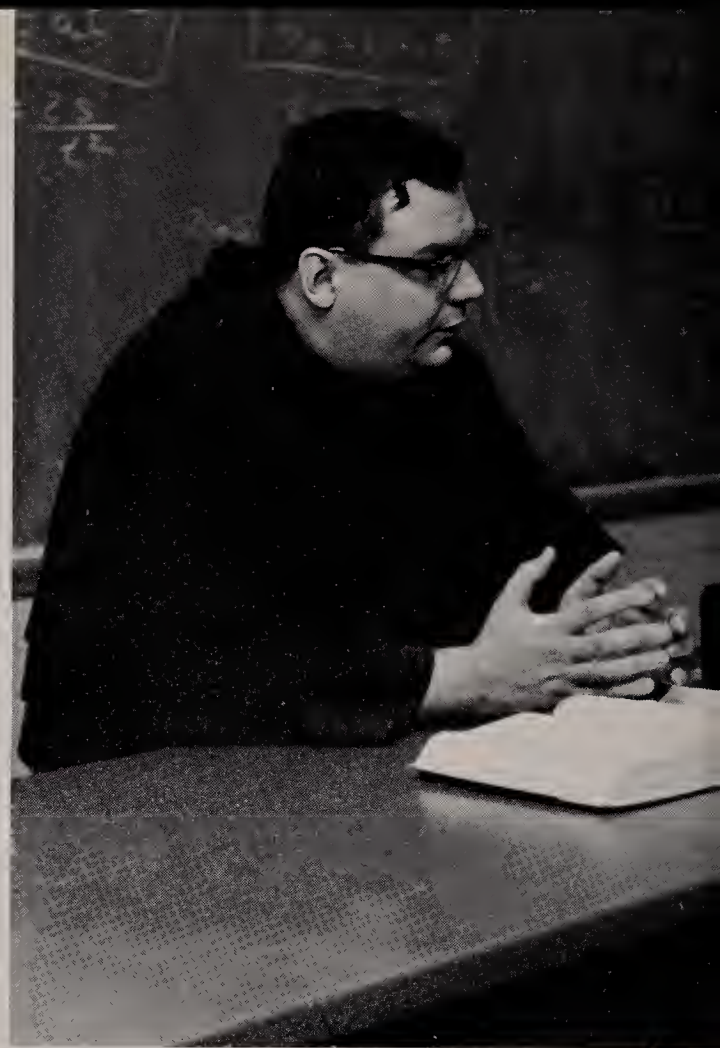
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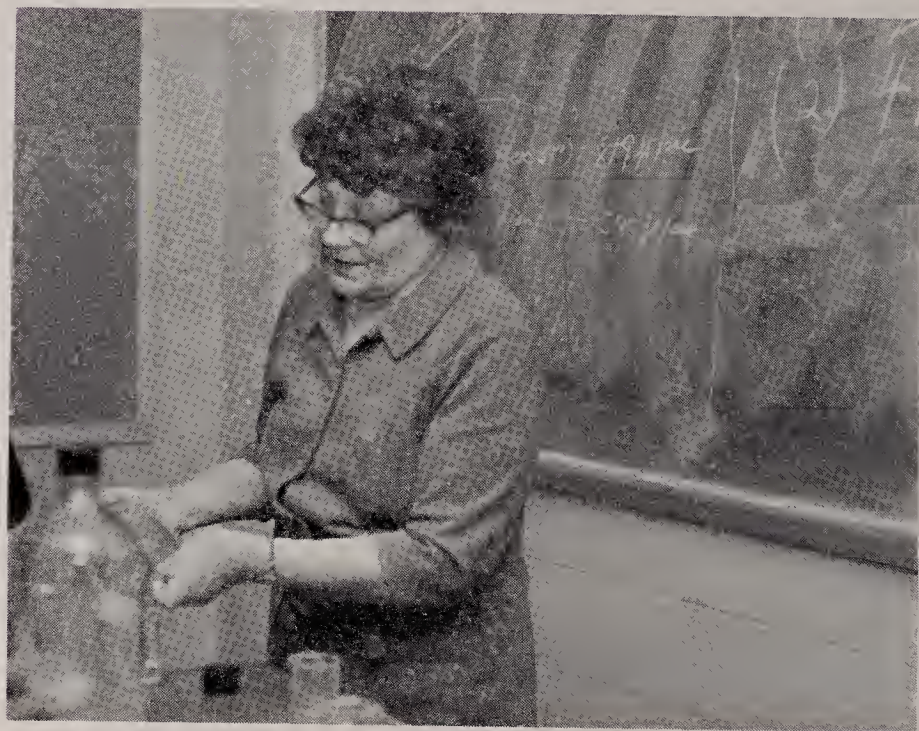
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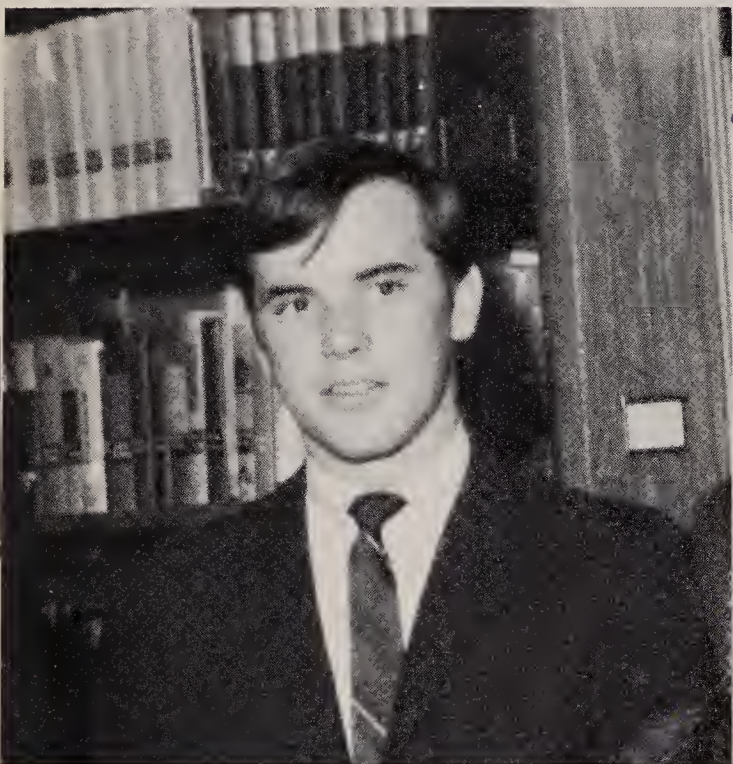


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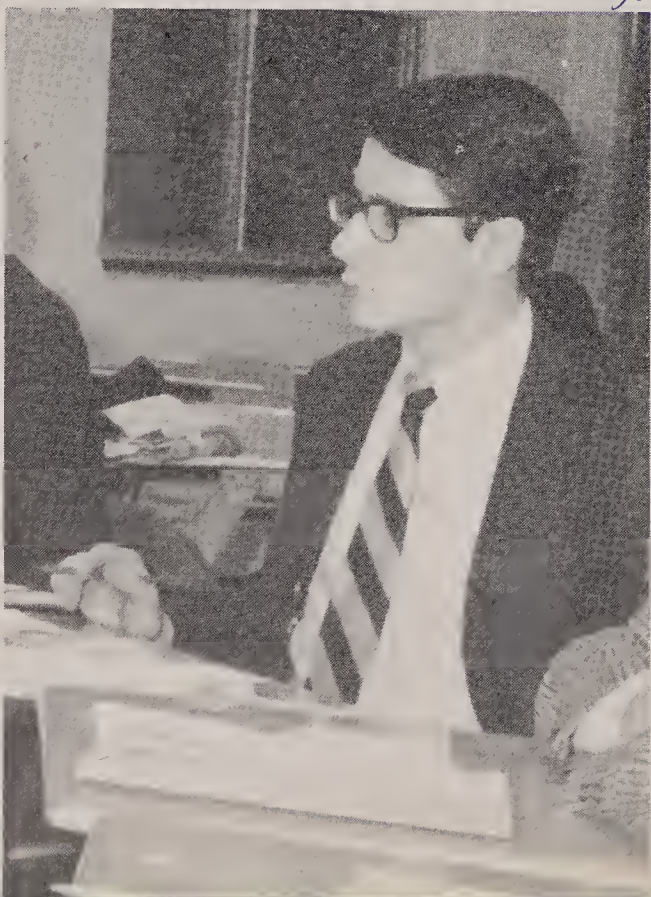


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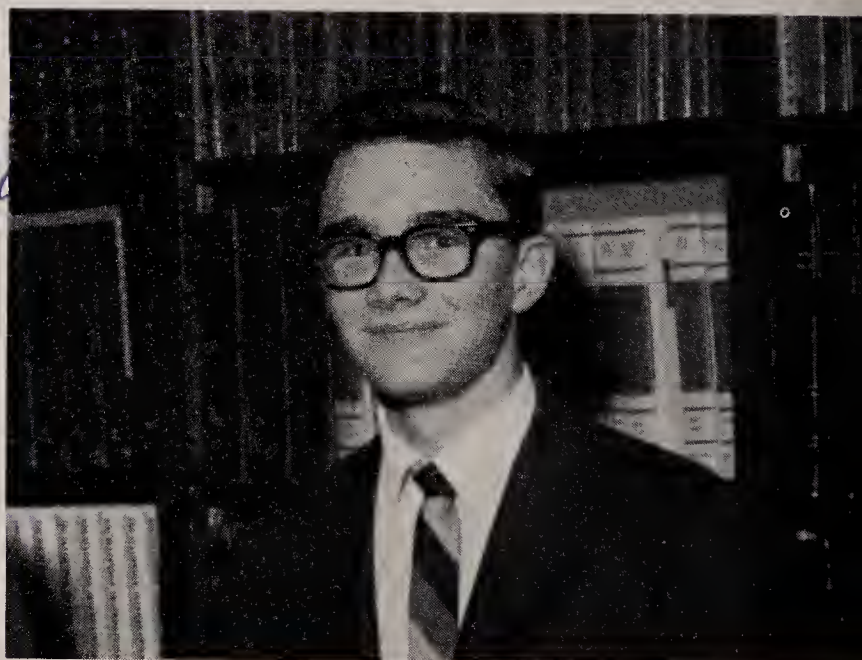
Dear Fr. Edgar,
Ever since I was
a freshman, I had
been looking
forward to becoming
a senior and having
the opportunity to
closely associate
with you. Well,
when I became
a senior I was
disappointed to
learn that my chance
would never come.
We all miss you
greatly. Thank you
for making Assumption Prep
what it is.
Daniel Moynihan



Stephen Sylvestro, *Vice-President.*

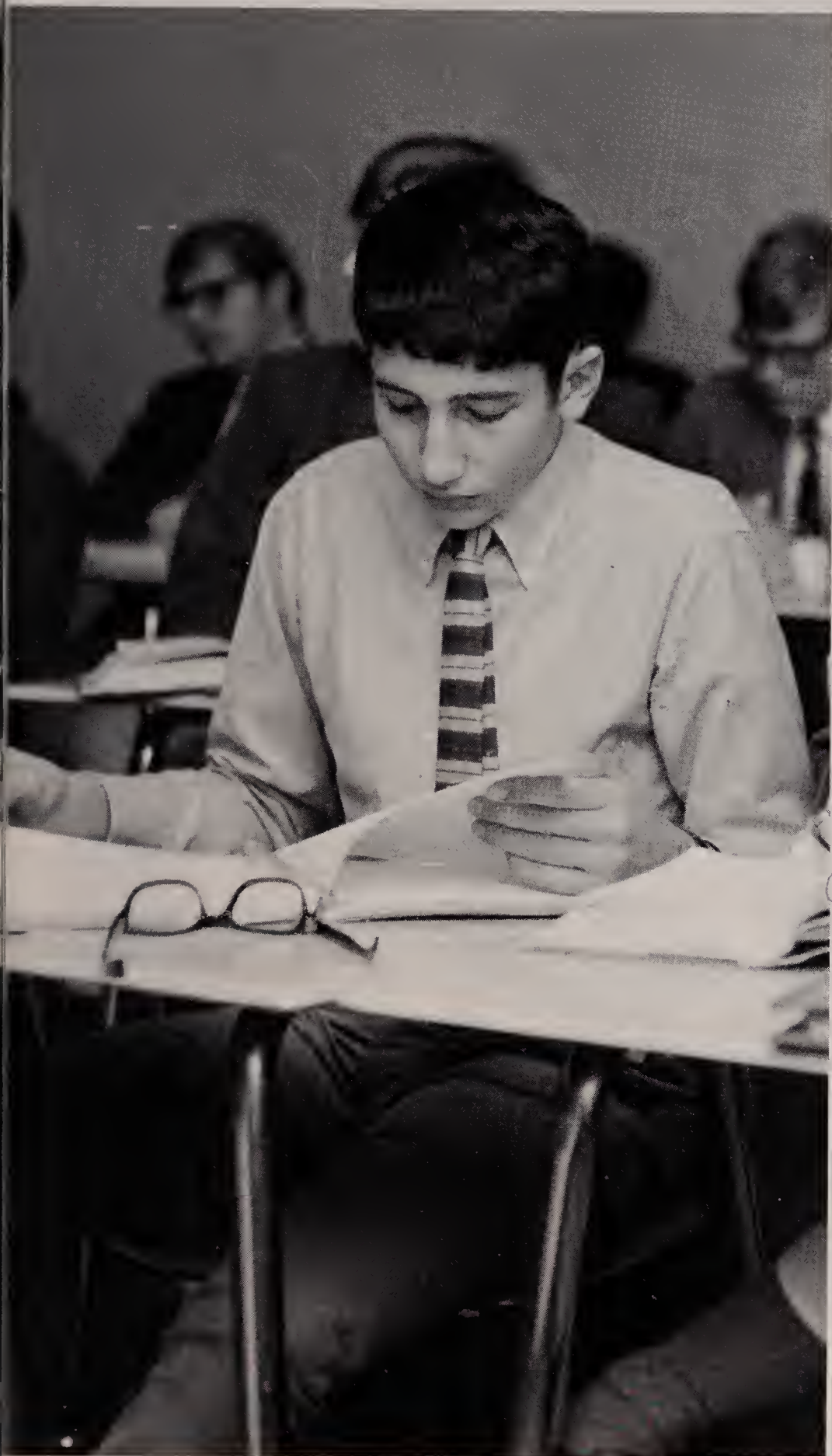


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Y.C.S.: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Track: 1; Cross-Country: 2; Intramural Tennis: 4; Honor Roll: 4; Service Corps: 4.

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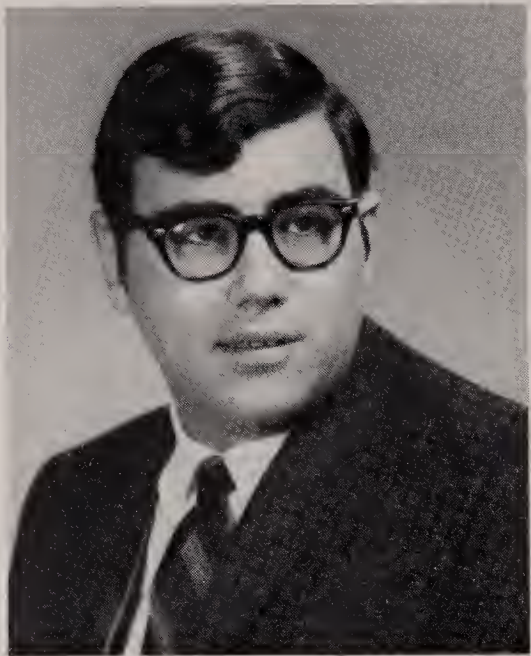
*Work you
were here this year.
You started me off and now
I think I'm heading in the right direction
Sincerely
Ronald*



Ronald Joseph Allbach

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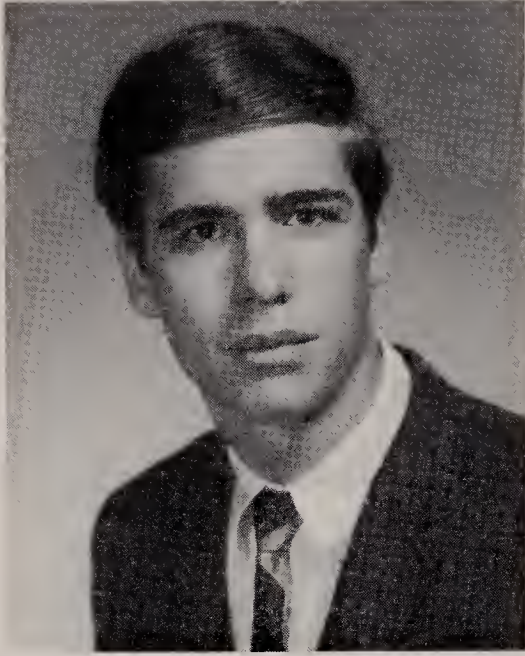
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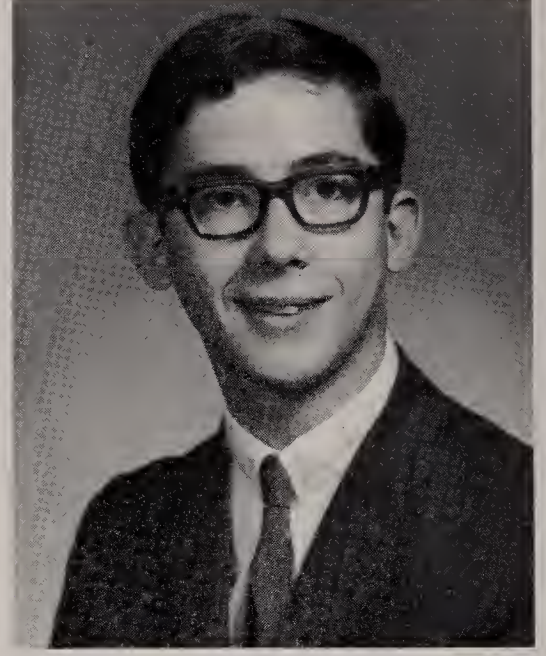
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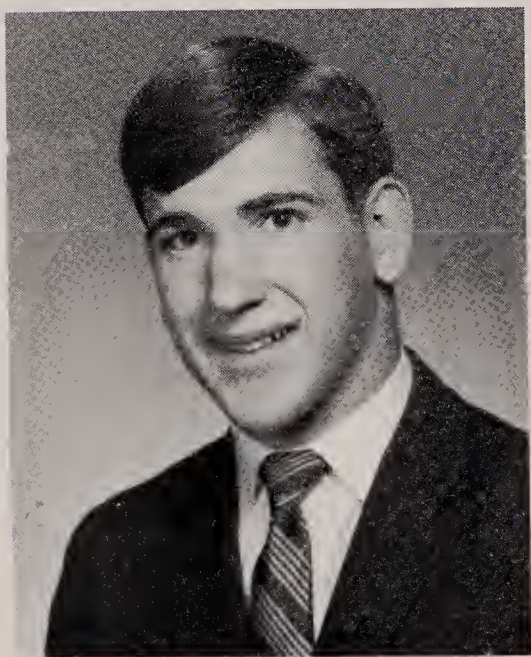
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Marc A. Beaudoin

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; French Play: 2; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 3; Intramural Basketball: 2; Intramural Football: 2; Intramural Volleyball: 1, 2, 3; CCD: 4.

12 Kossuth St., Biddeford, Maine.



Steven Arthur Belauskas

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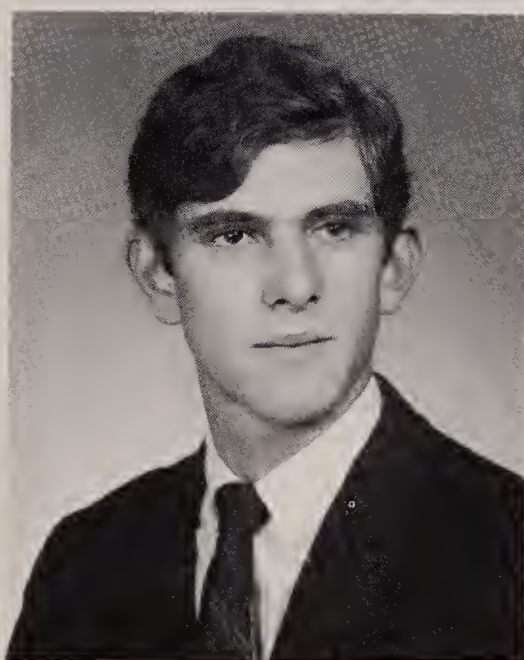
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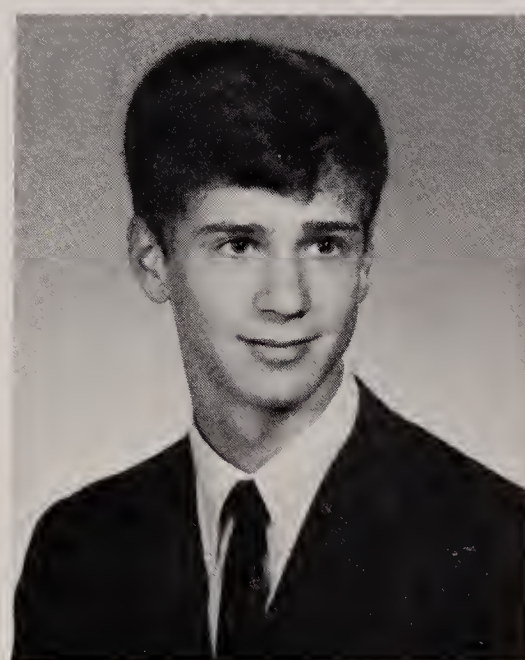
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John Mark Bolton

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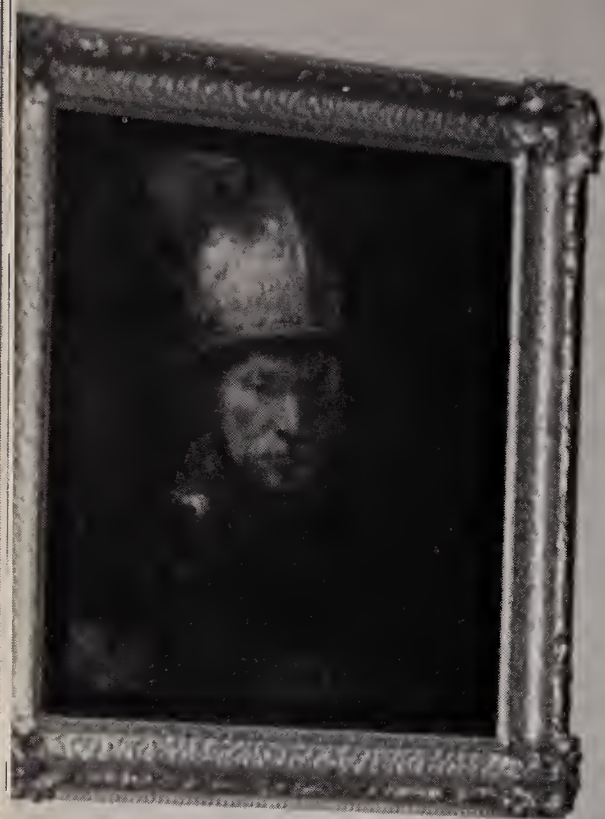
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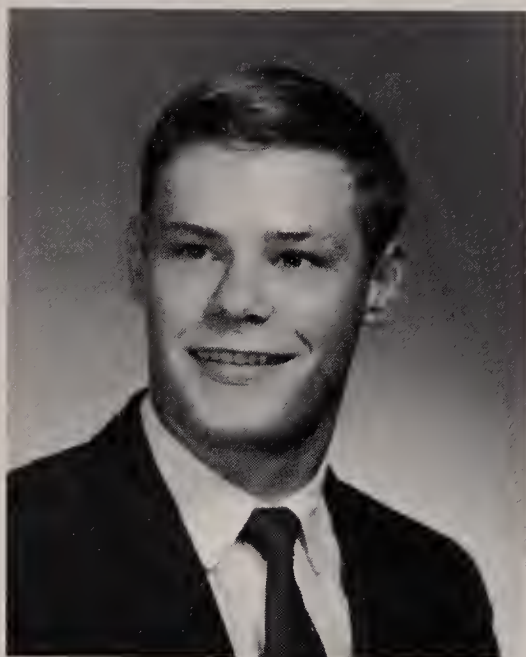
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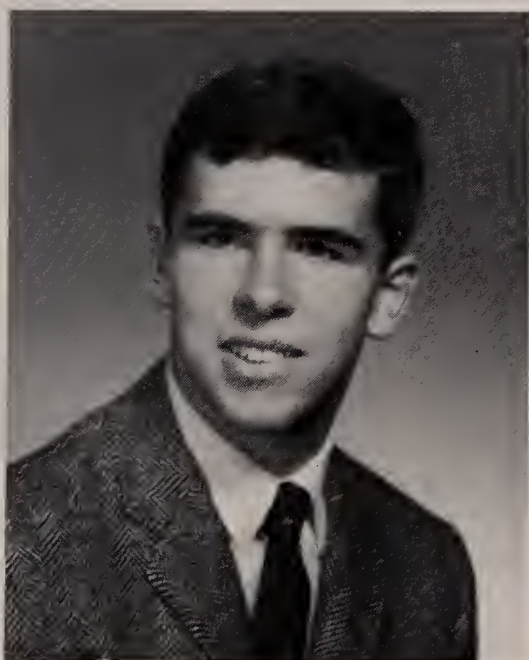
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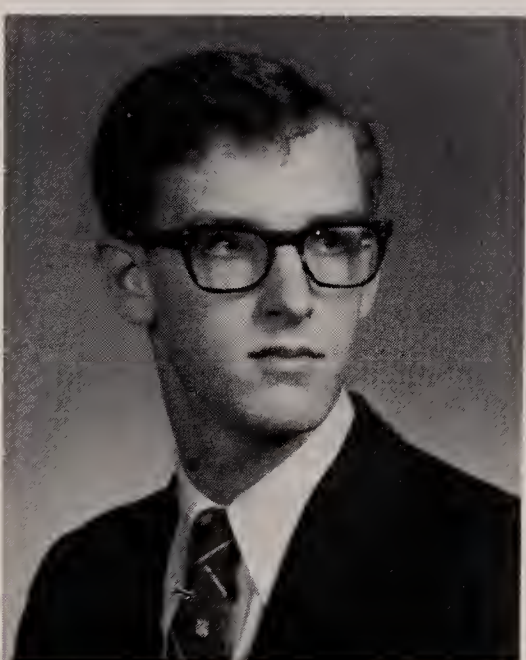


Richard William Casey

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Thanks for your many words of wisdom. Best of luck in all your undertakes. Dick Casey

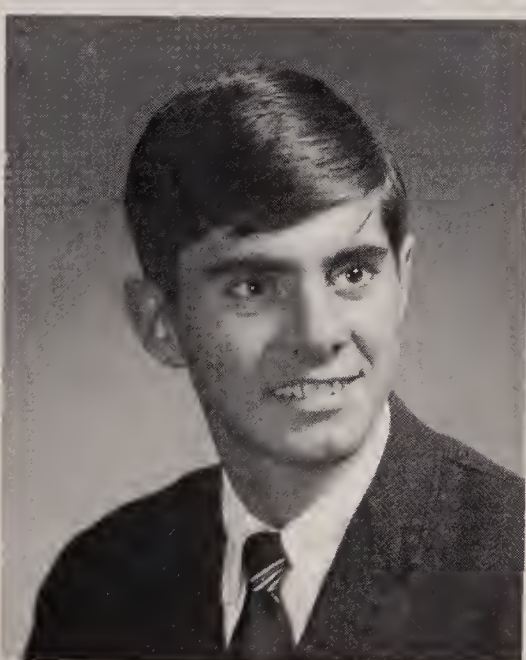


Walter Joseph Casey

Intramural Basketball: 3, 4; Varsity Field & Track: 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3, 4.

1416 Wapping Rd., Middletown, R.I.

Father, These study habits classes didn't seem too important at the time, but good things never do! Thanks for everything. Joseph Casey



David Louis Cataldo

Explorers: 1, 2; Service Corps: 3; Varsity Baseball: 2, 4; Varsity Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3, 4.

411 Mill St., Worcester, Mass.

*Wish you were still
with us - I miss you
sorry I couldn't remember
that line - Michel*



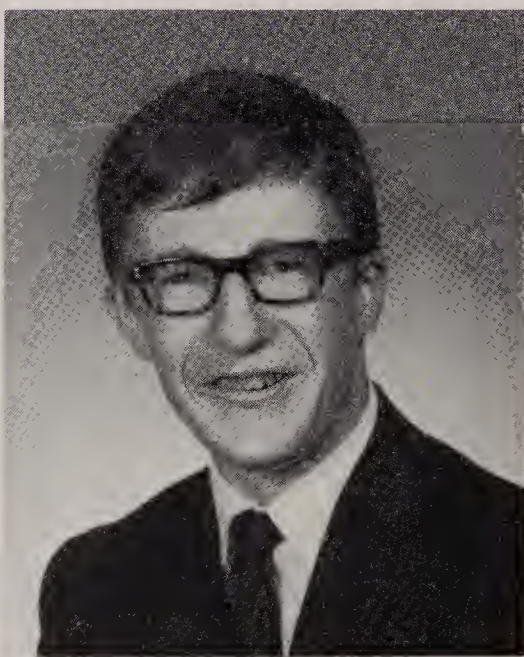
*Sincerely
W. John Chuplis*



Michel Jean-Yves Caurant

Choir: 1, 2; Glee Club: 1; French Play: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 2, 3; Varsity Baseball: 2; Intramural Football: 2; Varsity Football: 3; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

19 Edward St., Hamden, Conn.



John Vincent Chandley

Explorers: 4; Service Corps: 3, 4; Honor Roll: 4; *Memini*: 4; Intramural Baseball: 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3, 4; Dance Committee: 3.

20 Frothingham Rd., Worcester, Mass.

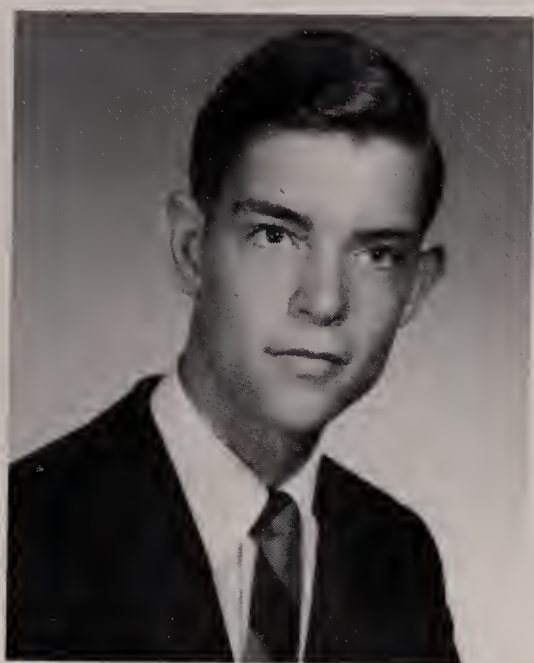


William John Chuplis, Jr.

Memini: 4; Varsity Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball: 1; Intramural Basketball: 1; Cross-Country: 2; Varsity Track & Field: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 3.

63 Winfield Rd., Holden, Mass.

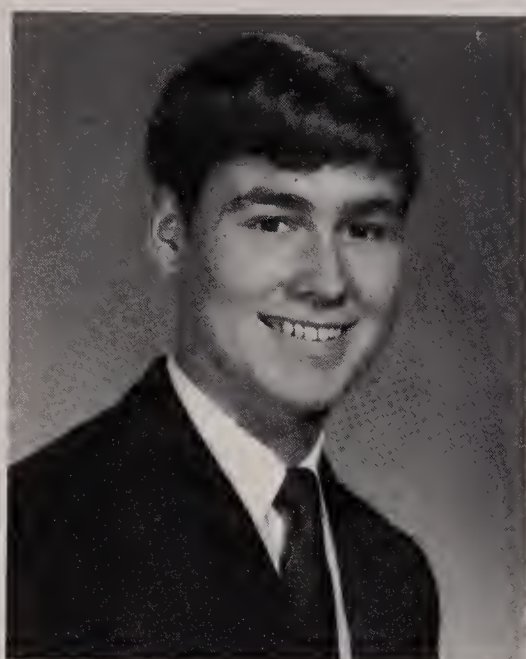
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Michael Dennis Clifford

NHS: 4; YCS: 3, 4; Service Corps: 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2; Varsity Soccer: 3, 4; Intramural Tennis: 2; Math Club: 1, 2; Social Committee: 4.

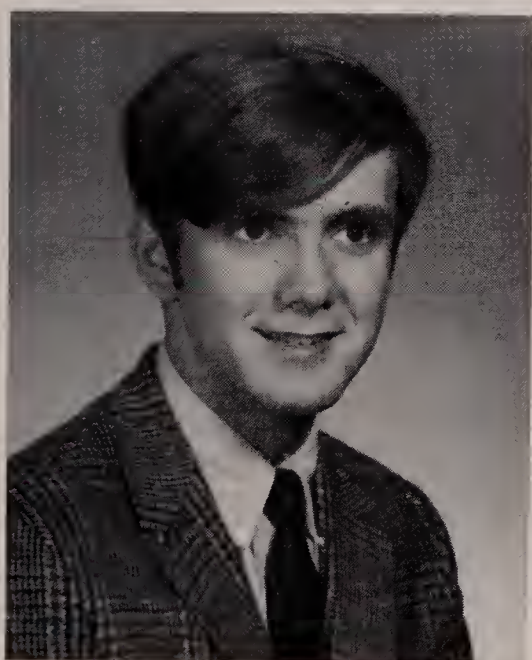
22 Chaffins Lane, Holden, Mass.



Marc R. Collard

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir: 1, 2, 3; French Play: 2; English Play: 3; Honor Roll: 2; Student Government: 2, 3; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Basketball: 2, 3; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Football: 2, 3.

205 Elm St., Biddeford, Me.

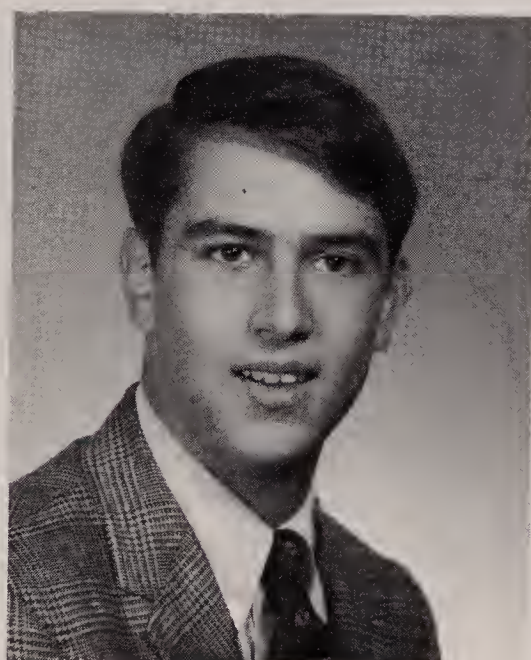


Patrick Dennis Costello

Service Corps: 3; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 4; J.V. Baseball: 1; Intramural Basketball: 1; Intramural Football: 1, 3.

443 Pleasant St., Leicester, Mass.

*Father Edgar -
With no for 3 yrs, I
wish it was the last 3
instead of the first. We
needed you this year!
Love Pat C.*



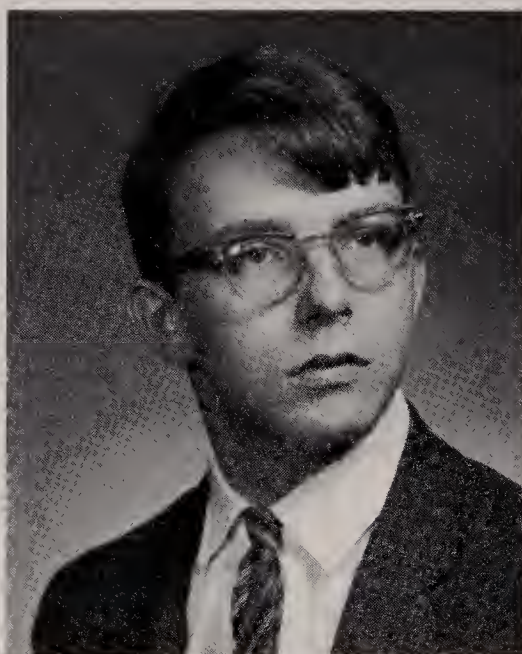
Denis Roger Cournoyer

Explorers: 4; Track & Field: 2; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Football: 3.

18 Mechanic St., Webster, Mass.

*Father
The school
isn't the same
without you. Wish you were still here.
97 Denis Cournoyer*

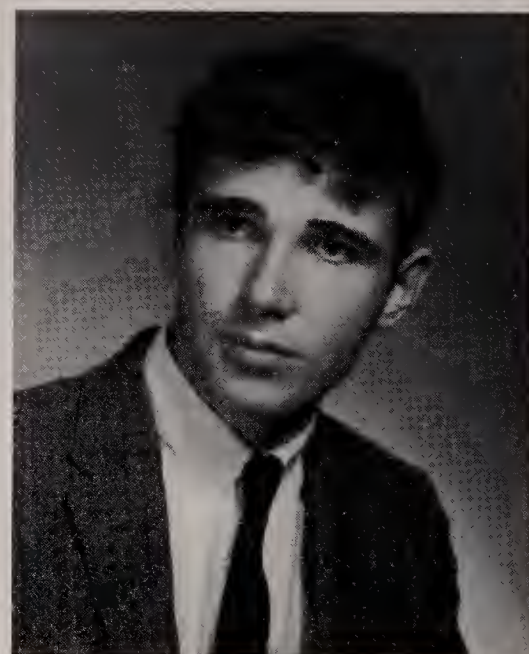




Robert Timothy Cronin

Explorers: 3, 4; Varsity Field and Track: 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Dance Committee: 4.

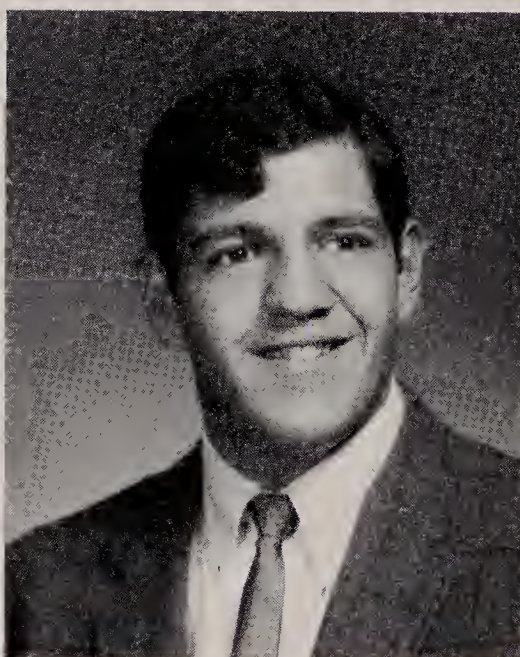
460 Mower St., Worcester, Mass.



Walter Joseph Cunningham

YCS: 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll: 1; Press Club: 4; Intramural Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Cross-Country: 2; Varsity Tennis: 2, 3; History Club: 2, 3, 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

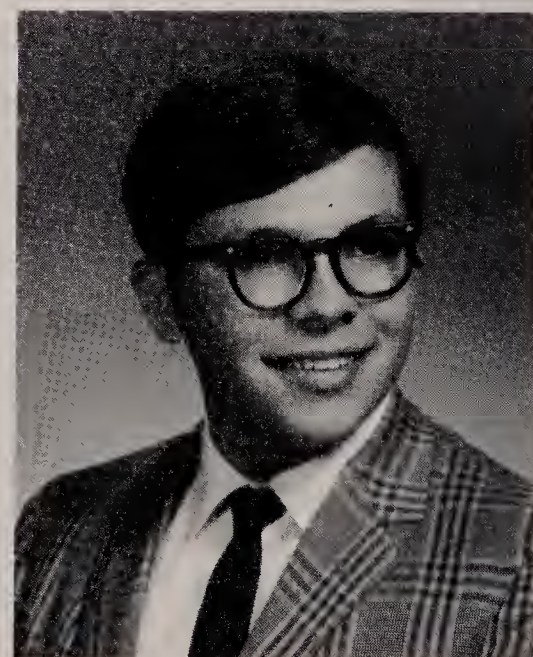
22 Glen View Rd., Auburn, Mass.



Robert Charles Delsignore

English Play: 3, 4; Honor Roll: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 3, 4; Varsity Field and Track: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Football: 1, 2, 3, 4.

250 Plantation St., Worcester, Mass.



Denis A. Demblowski

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir: 1, 2, 3; French Play: 2; English Play: 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3; Student Government: 1, 2, 3; APSL Latin Award: 1, 2; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Tennis: 3; Intramural Hockey: 1, 2; Intramural Volleyball: 1, 2, 3.

4657 Wilburke Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SENIORS



Philip Louis Descheneaux

French Play: 2; Intramural Basketball: 1; Varsity Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Cross Country: 1; Varsity Field & Track: 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Soccer: 3, 4; Varsity Tennis: 3; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

89 Mount Hope St., Lowell, Mass.

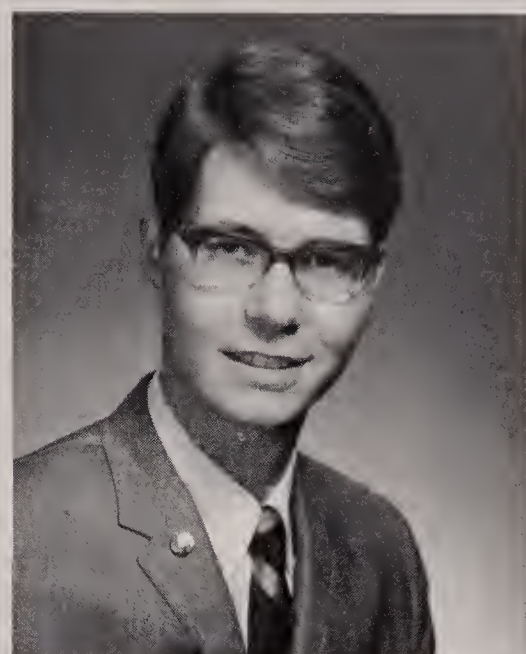
*For Edgar + thanks for your
great leadership and for giving
me confidence Phil Descheneaux*



Jack Edward Desens

English Play: 1; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Baseball: 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Soccer: 3, 4; Intramural Tennis: 1, 2; Varsity Tennis: 4.

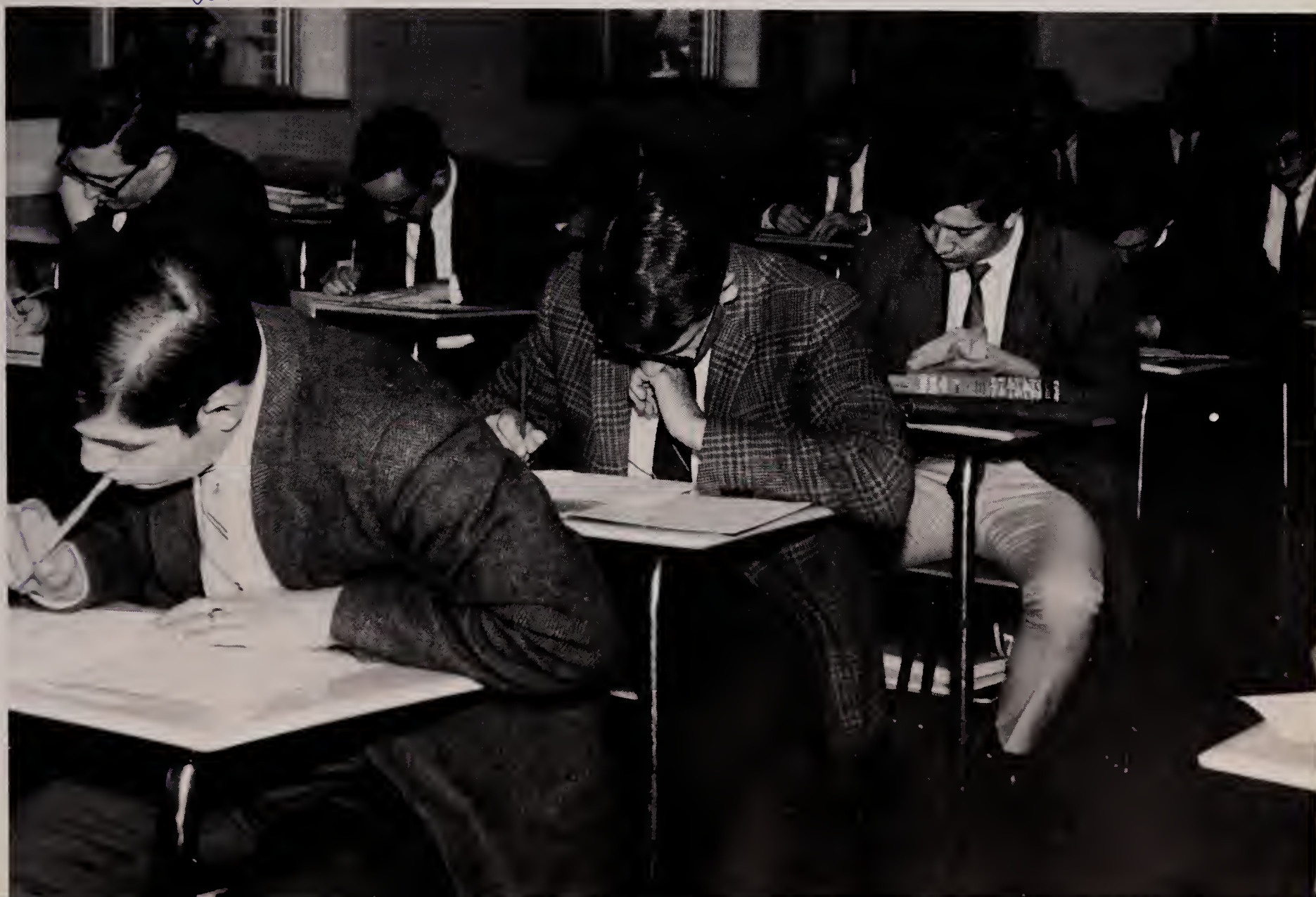
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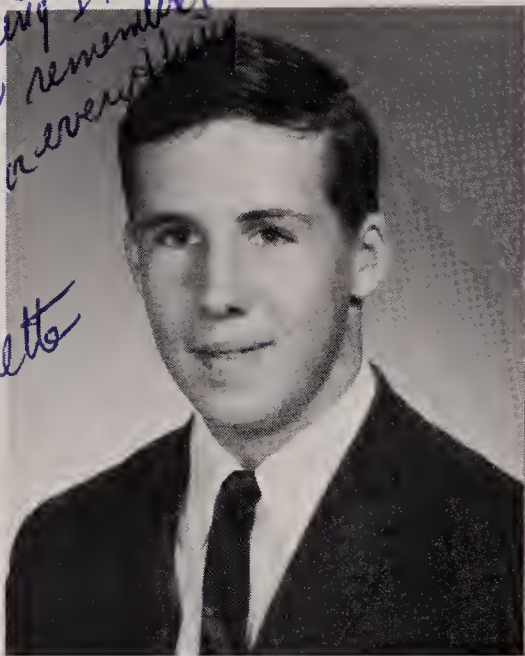
John Jay DeVries

Press Club: 3, 4; Cross-Country: 3; Sailing Team: 3; YAF: 3, 4 (State Chairman); Freedom's House: 3.

12 Hillview Ave., Madison, N. J.



Mr. Edgar
knowing you for
three years was truly
some thing I shall
always remember
Thanks for everything
Steve
Diguette



Stephen Paul Diguette

Glee Club: 1; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3; Math Award: 1; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2; Cross-Country: 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Ski Team: 4; Intramural Tennis: 2; Math Club: 1, 2, 3, 4.

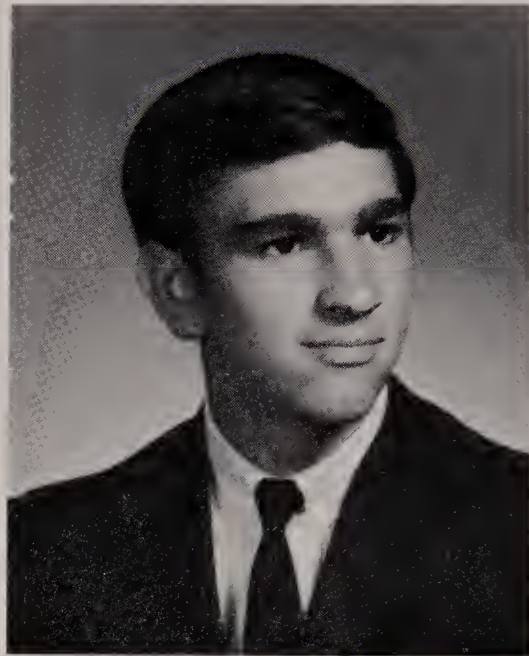
40 Darnell Rd., Worcester, Mass.



Ronald Dupont

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir: 1, 2, 3; English Play: 3; French Play: 2; Intramural Soccer: 1, 2.

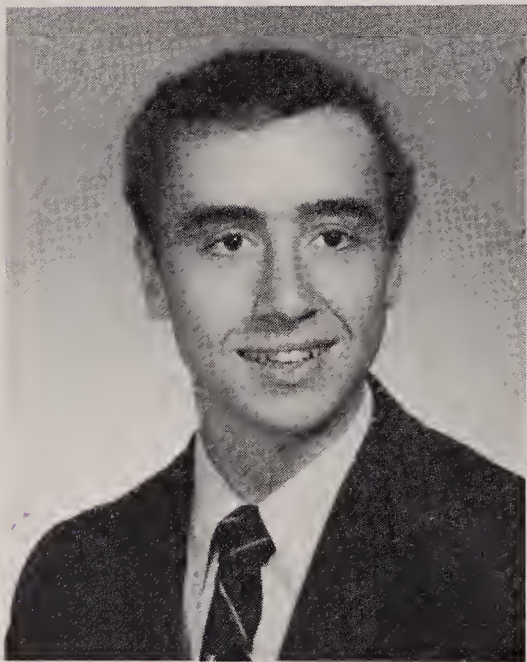
645 S. Summer St., Holyoke, Mass.



Timothy Allen Emhoff

Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Academic Award: 2; J. V. Baseball: 1; Varsity Baseball: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 3, 4; French Club: 3, 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

R.F.D. #1 Box 292, Stafford Springs, Conn.

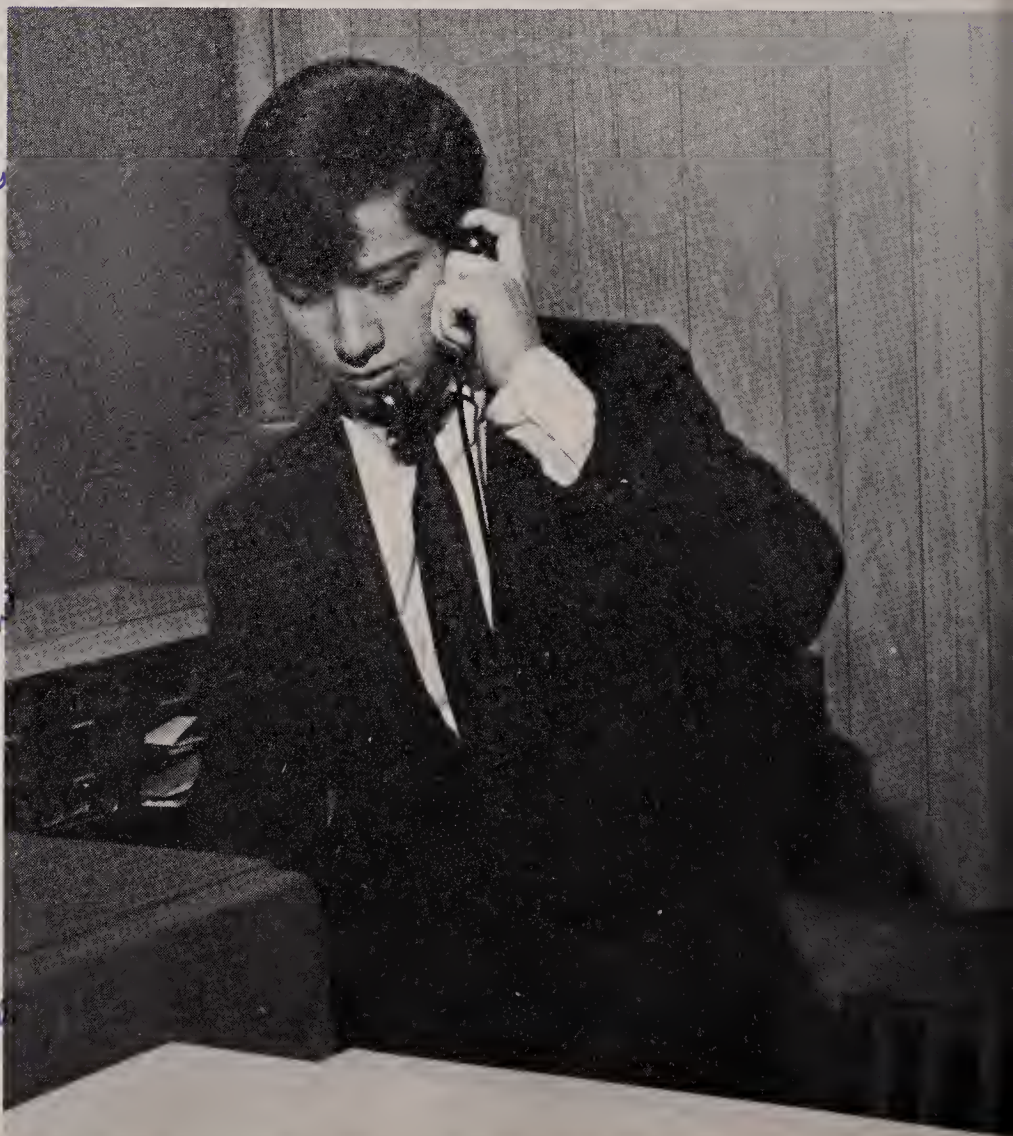


Edward Earl Fegreus, Jr.

Explorers: 1, 2, 3; Service Corps: 3, 4; Sailing Team: 3; Memini: 4.

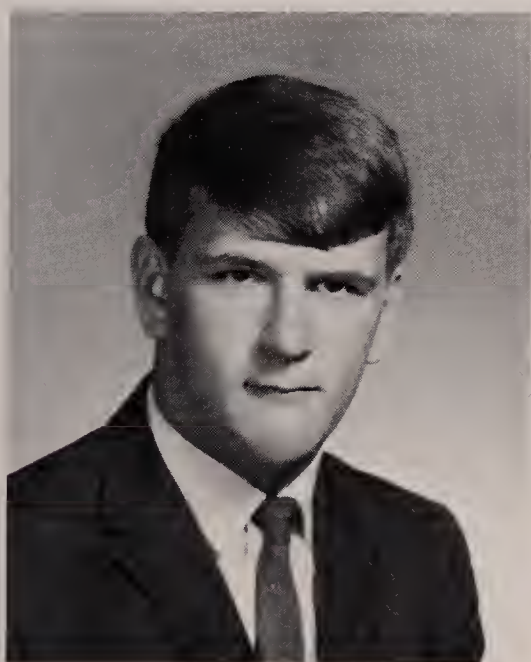
13 Winter St., N. Brookfield, Mass.

Dear Mr. Edgar,
I was cleaning my
notebooks
tonight, and
I found out
daily schedule
you gave me
last year.
Remember?
Gave out
cigars at
the senior
banquet tonight
because I
finally got
accepted into
college.
Ed
Fegreus



Wish you could have
written my recommendation,
maybe I could have gotten
into college then.

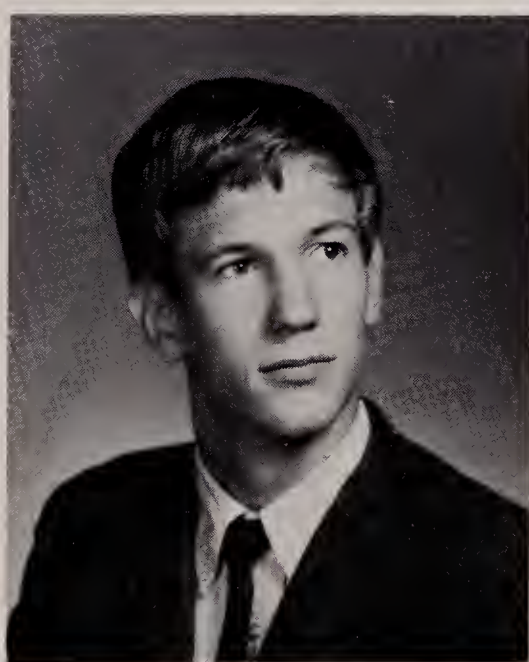
Fegreus



Robert Roland Fournier

YCS: 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Football: 2, 3, 4.

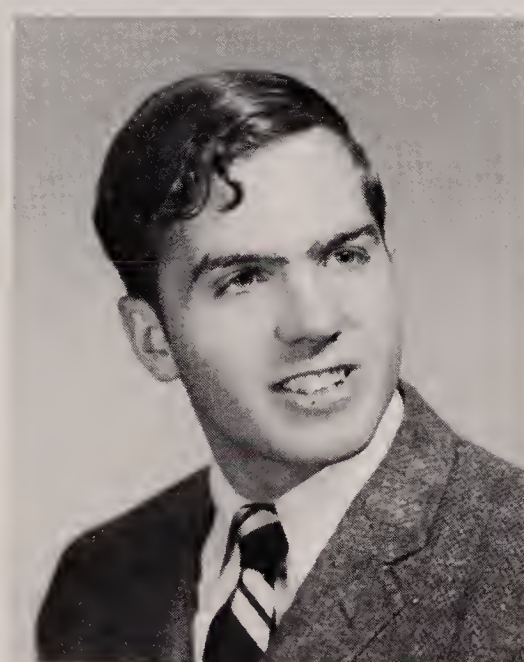
15 Barclay St., Worcester, Mass.



Joseph Edward Fraczek

French Play: 4; Intramural Baseball: 4; Varsity Baseball: 4; Intramural Basketball: 4; Intramural Football: 4.

23 Old Orchard Rd., W. Springfield, Mass.

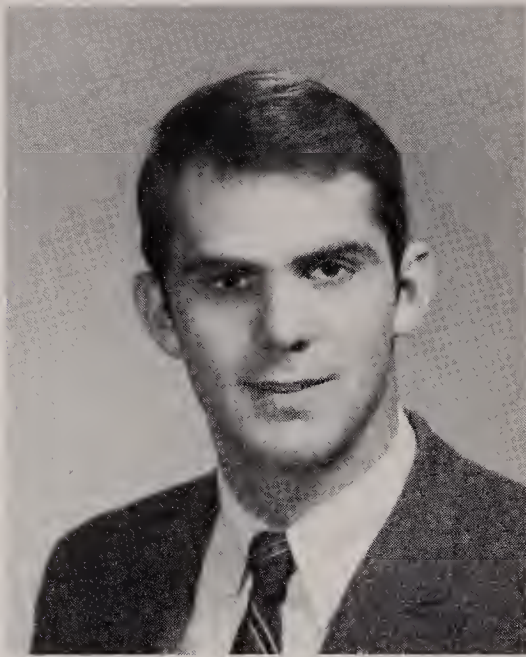


Gerard Brice Frawley

Explorers: 1; Honor Roll: 3; Cross-Country: 2; Sailing Team: 2, 3, 4 (Captain); Varsity Tennis: 1; Declamation Contest: 2; *Consider*: 4.

436 South St., Needham, Mass.

Father, thank you
for starting me on the
road of responsibility. The
road has a lot of holes
but I'm starting to fill
them in. Thanks
Bill



William Joseph Frawley III

Memini: 4; Intramural Football: 4; Sailing
Team: 3, 4; Intramural Tennis: 4.

436 South St., Needham, Mass.

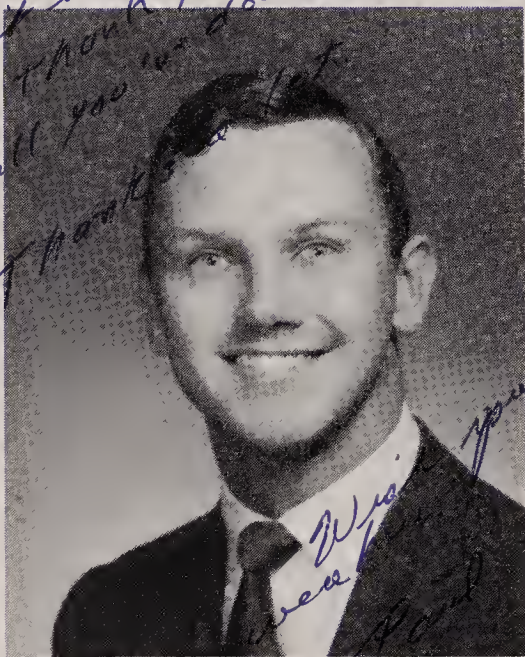


Joseph Edmund Gadbois

YCS: 2, 3, 4; English Play: 1; NHS: 3, 4;
Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 3, 4; En-
glish Award: 1; Latin Award: 2; Intramu-
ral Basketball: 1, 3, 4; Intramural Football:
1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Soccer: 3.

107 Blithewood Ave., Worcester, Mass.

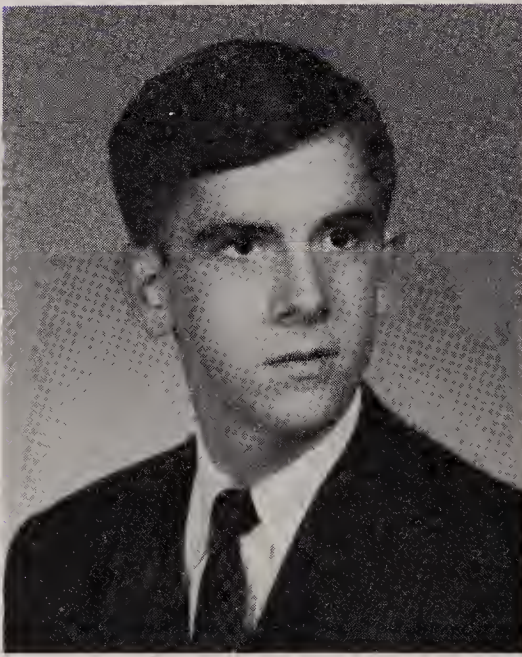
F.R. Edgar,
I haven't paid
for a section of this
page so I'll have to
keep it short. I can
never thank you enough
for all you've done for
me. Thanks
Bill



Paul Francis Giza

Explorers: 2, 3, 4; YCS: 3, 4; Glee Club: 2;
Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3; Varsity
Field & Track: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural
Football: 1; Varsity Football: 2; Consider:
4 (Editor).

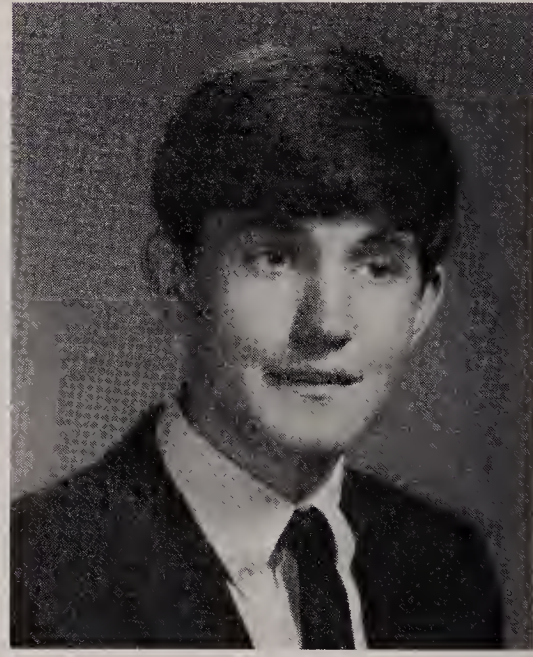
65 Calkins St., Palmer, Mass.



Arthur Richard Gobin

Intramural Basketball: 4; Swimming
Team: 4.

258 Beverly Rd., Worcester, Mass.



Bruce Eric Goodro

Honor Roll: 1, 2, 4; Intramural Football:
3; Math Club: 2, 3, 4; Tutoring: 3, 4.

22 St. James Dr., Northboro, Mass.



David Henry Granger

Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Math Award: 1; J.V. Baseball: 1, 2; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 2, 3; Varsity Soccer: 3, 4.

29 Indian Hill Rd., Worcester, Mass.

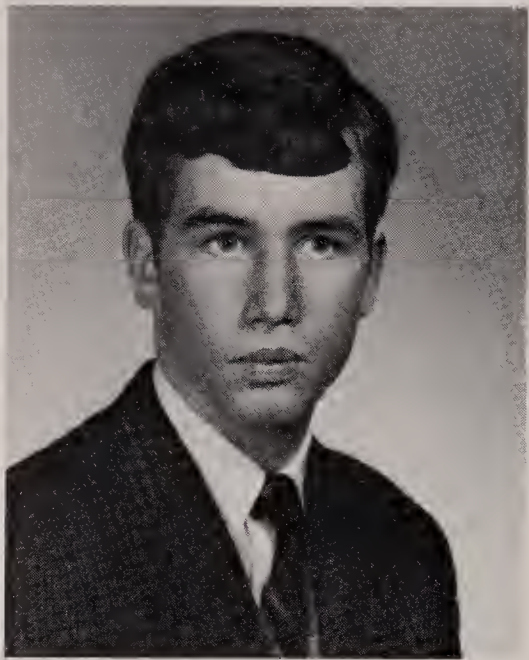


Robert William Granger

Explorers: 1, 2; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; *Memini*: 4; Intramural Football: 3, 4; Sailing Team: 2, 3; Ski Team: 3, 4; History: 2, 3.

894 Grafton St., Worcester, Mass.

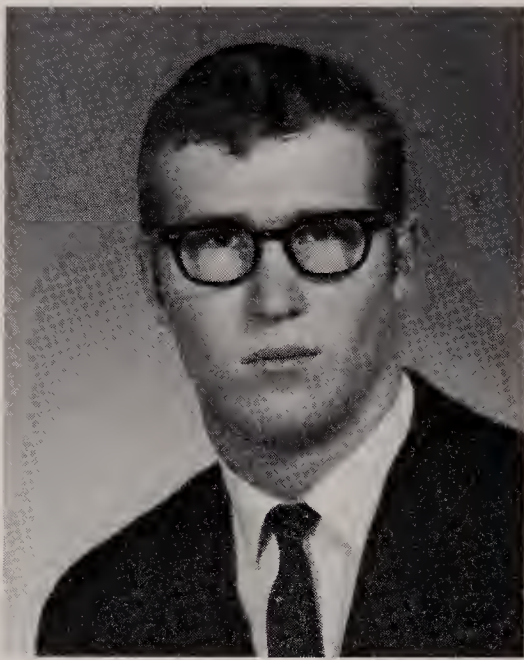




Gregory Paul Anselm Grimes

Choir: 2; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; French Award: 2, 3; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2; J.V. Basketball: 1, 2; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Tennis: 1, 2, 3, 4; History Club: 2; French Club: 3, 4; *Consider*: 3; Culture Club: 3, 4.

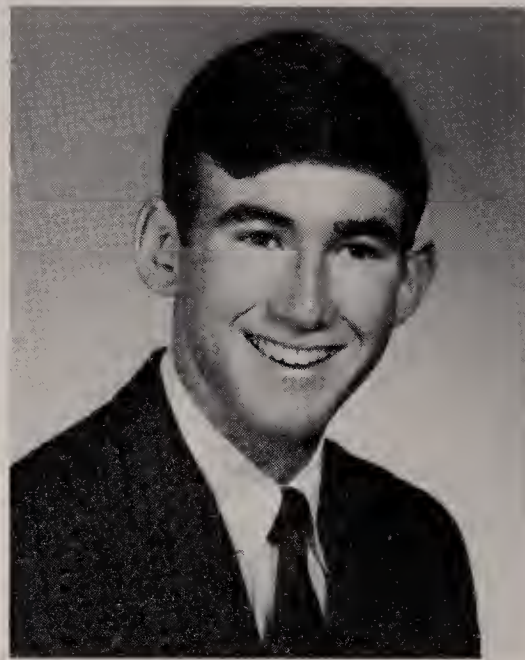
57 Kay St., Newport, R.I.



John R. Hahn

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.C.S.: 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 2, 3 (Editor); *Memini*: 4; Student Government: 3; Intramural Basketball: 2, 3; Intramural Football: 2, 3.

126 Hillview Rd., Clairton, Pa.



Stephen Gerard Haran

YCS: 3; Service Corps: 3; J.V. Baseball: 1; Varsity Baseball: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Football: 1, 2, 3, 4.

9 Ontario St., Worcester, Mass.



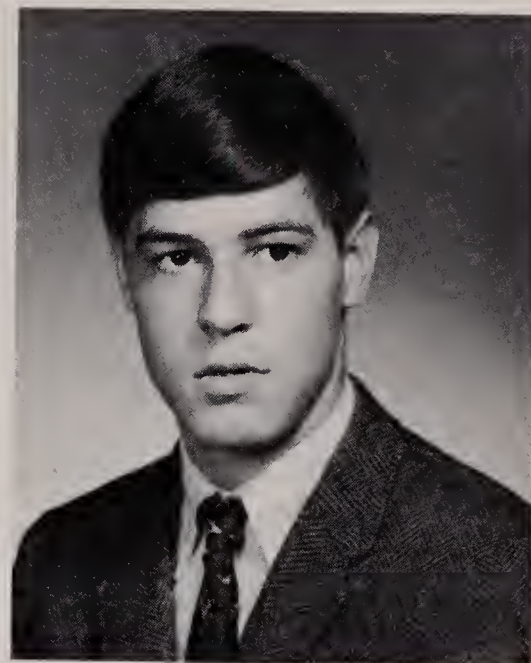
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Peter Gilbert Hargreaves

Choir: 1, 2; Glee Club: 1; Honor Roll: 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 1, 2, 3 (Editor of *Heritage*); Intramural Basketball: 4; Service Corps: 4 (Captain); *Consider*: 4; French Club: 3, 4.

Little Rest Rd., Warren, Mass.



Thomas Vincent Healey

Honor Roll: 1, 4; Intramural Basketball: 3; Varsity Track and Field: 2; Intramural Football: 2; Varsity Football: 3, 4; Culture Club: 3; History Club: 4.

2 Saxon Rd., Worcester, Mass.

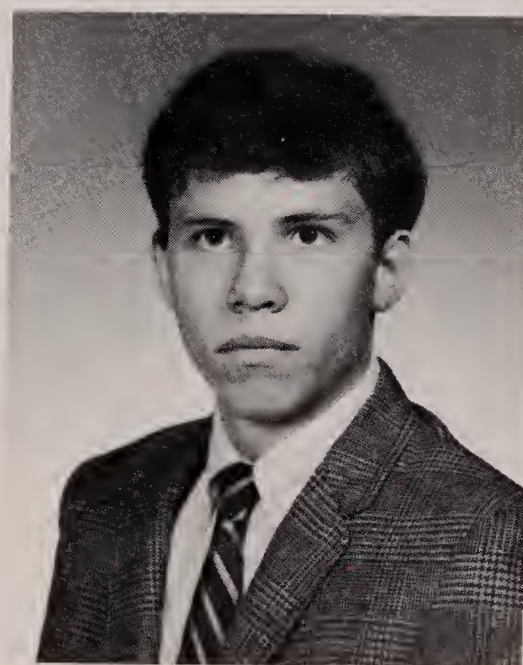


Raymond Louis Hebert

Explorers: 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir: 2; Press Club: 1, 2; Intramural Basketball: 3, 4; Cross-Country: 4; Track and Field: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3.

291 Cherry St., Shrewsbury, Mass.

*Sure missed
you since
you've left
A.P.S. I'll
always remember
you. Please remember
me in your prayers.
Ray Hebert*

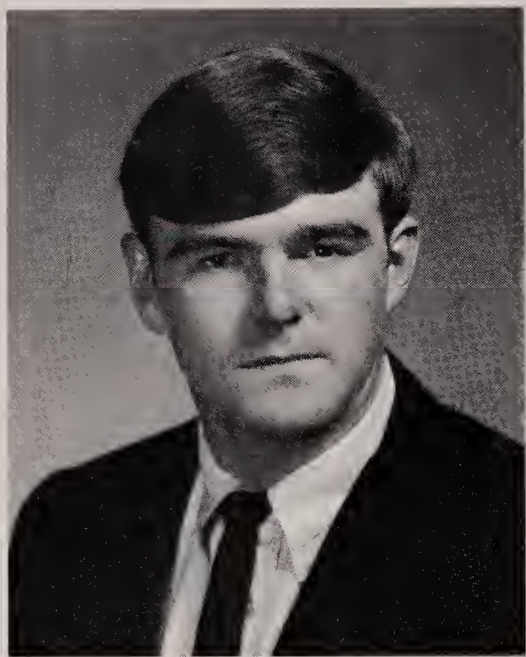


Thomas Buxton Hobbes

Explorers: 3; Press Club: 3; Honor Roll: 3, 4; English Play: 3, 4; Freedom's House: 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

Fiske Hill Rd., Sturbridge, Mass.

*Fr. Edgou: Thanks for the
singing advice. I'll never
forget you.
Tommy*



Robert Warren Jones

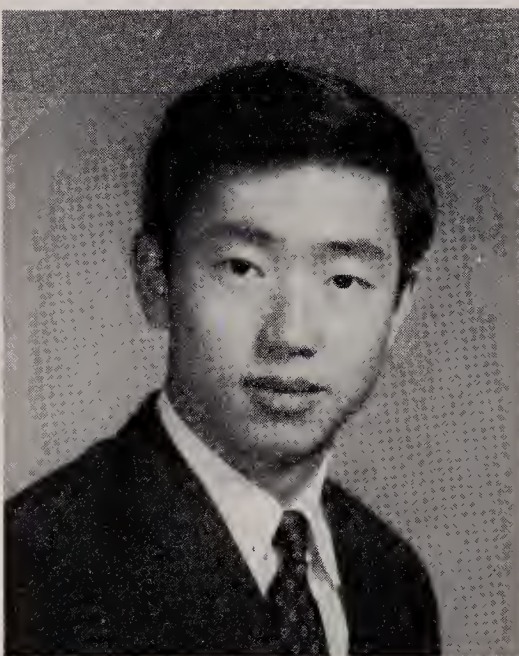
Varsity Basketball: 4; Varsity Soccer: 4.
Monument Rd., Orleans, Mass.



James John Karpawich

Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 4; Varsity Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 2, 3; Intramural Soccer: 3, 4; Intramural Tennis: 1; History Club: 2, 3, 4; NHS: 4.

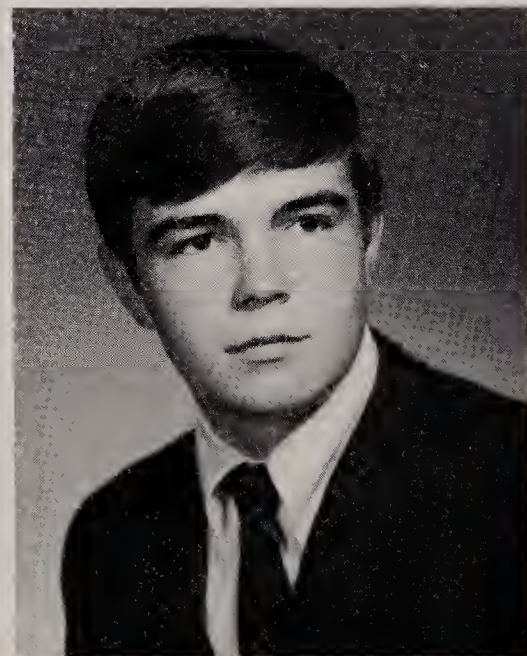
1 Coombs Rd., Worcester, Mass.



Sung Cherl Kim

Explorers: 2; NHS: 3, 4; Intramural Baseball: 1; Intramural Football: 2, 3; IV. Tennis: 2; Math Club: 2, 3, 4.

1 Ka-33-2 Bungi
Chang Sun Dong
Joong Goo, Pusan, Korea



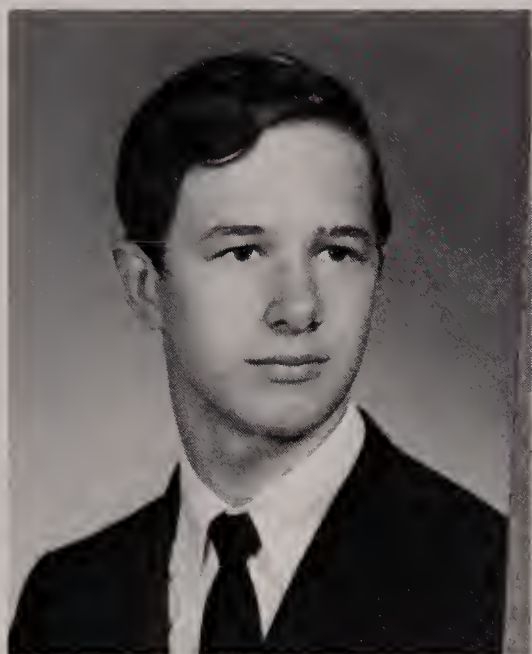
Joseph A. King

Service Corps: 3, 4; Press Club: 2, 3, 4; Memini: 4 (Business Manager); French Club: 3, 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4; Band: 1, 2, 3, 4; APSL Latin Award: 1.

P.O. Box 482, W. Brookfield, Mass.

It has been a great pleasure to know you. Thank you for your inspiration. I have known Sr. Edgar a man we all and I certainly miss a priest with deep understanding of what we all appreciate. Joe King

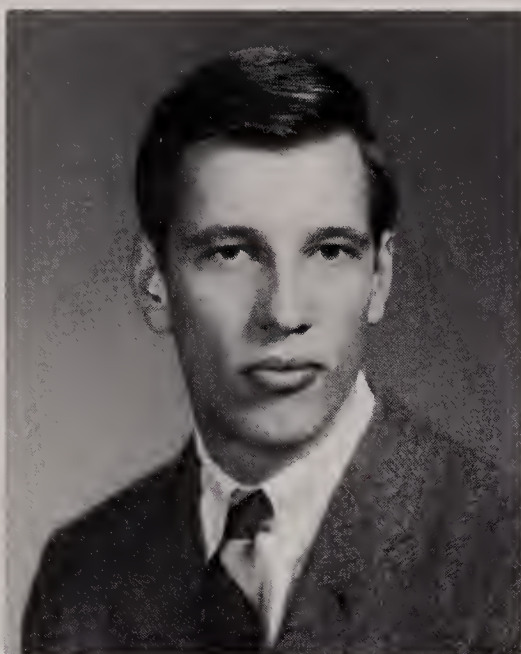
SENIORS



Edmund J. Kowalski

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; English Play: 2, 3; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 2, 3; APSL Latin Award: 1, 2; Intramural Basketball: 2; Intramural Soccer: 2; Intramural Volleyball: 1, 2, 3; National Latin Honor Society: 1, 2, 3.

75 Pine St., Natrona, Pa.



John Walter Kurkulonis

Memini: 4; Intramurals: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; History Club: 2.

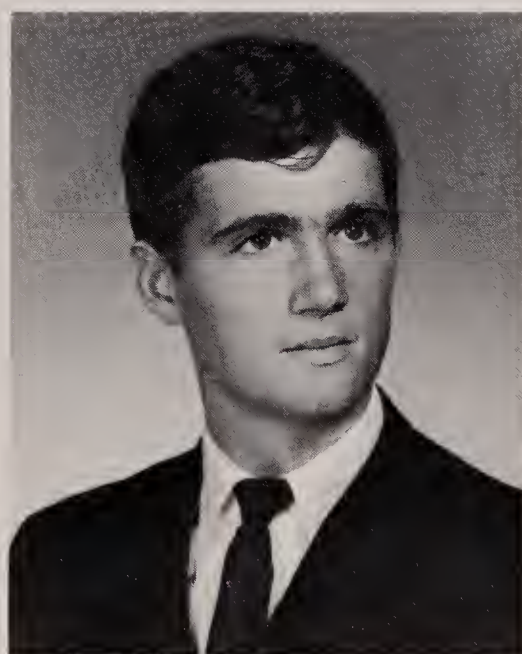
14 Lanesboro Rd., Worcester, Mass.



Marc Bernard Lachance

Service Corps: 4; *Memini*: 4; Head of Social Committee: 4; Ski Team: 3, 4; French Club: 3, 4.

2387 Noury St., Quebec, P. Q., Canada

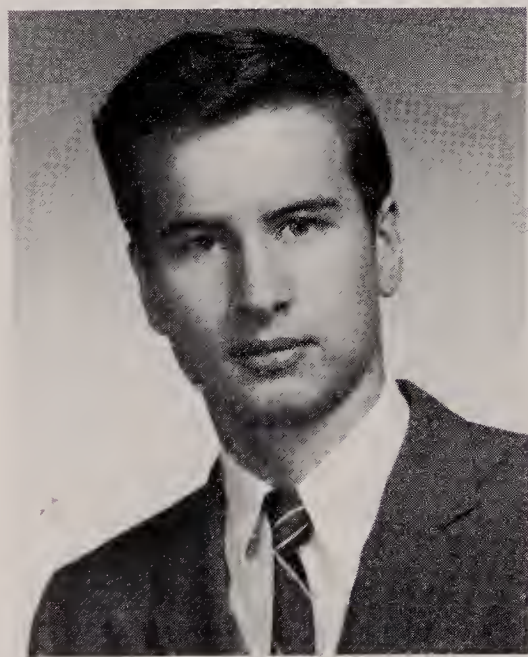


John Maurice Lamont

YCS: 2; Explorers: 1, 2; Choir: 1; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3; Cross-Country: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Field & Track: 1, 2, 3, 4.

168 Stamford Ave., Stamford, Conn.





Steven Bruno Lamontagne

Explorers: 1, 2, 3, 4; Service Corps: 2; Choir: 1, 2; Intramural Football: 3, 4; St. John Guild: 1.

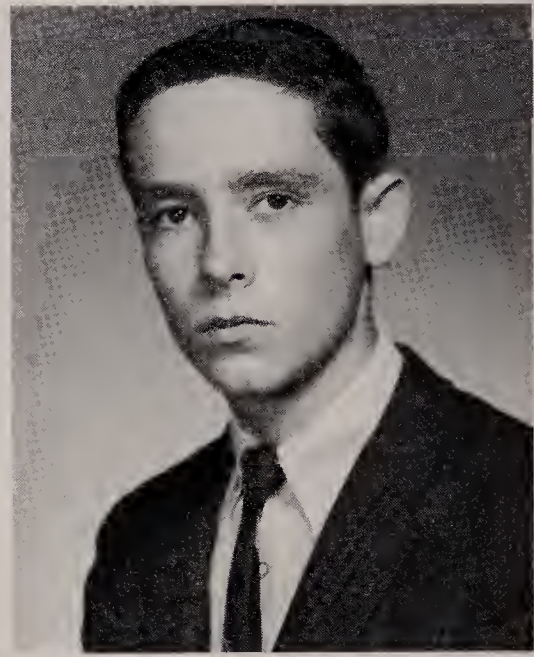
Mt. Hope Rt. 202, Stanford, Me.



Paul Joseph Laverty

Service Corps: 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3; *Memini*: 4; D'Alzon Award: 1; Intramural Basketball: 1, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball: 2; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Soccer: 3; Tennis: 2; History Club: 2.

24 Devens Rd., Worcester, Mass.

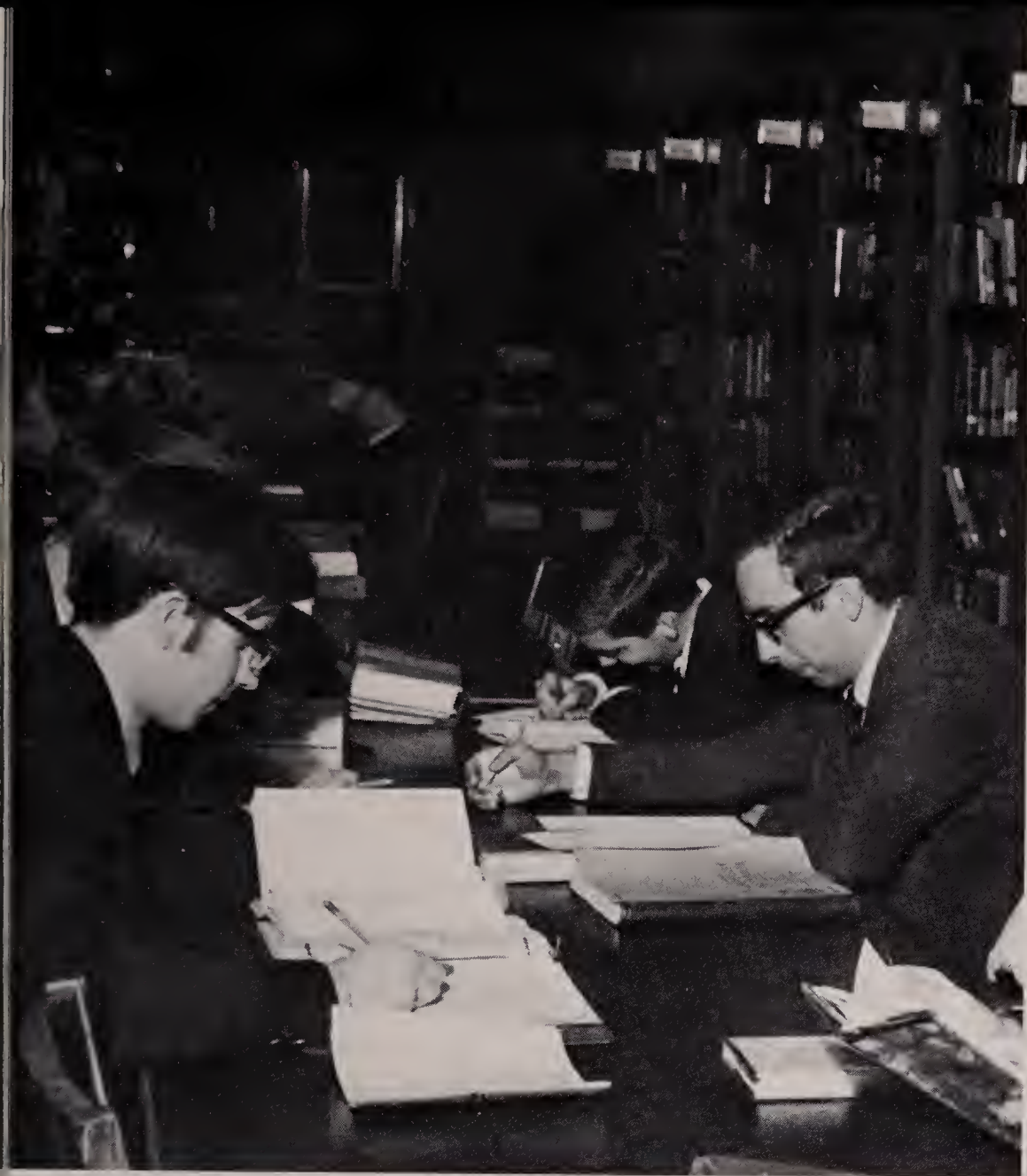


Paul Raymond Lefrancois

Explorers: 2, 3, 4; YCS: 3; French Club: 1; Conservation Club: 4.

10 Whitcomb St., Webster, Mass.

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Henry Clement Lemaître

Memini: 4; Intramural Basketball: 3, 4; Varsity Field & Track: 4; Intramural Football: 3, 4; Sailing Team: 3; Culture Club: 3, 4; Freedom's House: 3, 4.

8 Crescent St., Easthampton, Mass.

Henry C. Lemaître

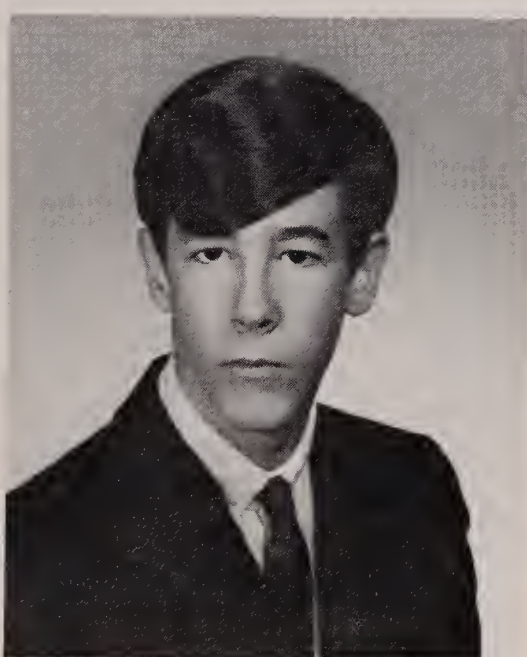


John Michael Lemire

Explorers: 1; Service Corps: 2, 3, 4; Choir: 1, 2; *Memini*: 4; D'Alzon Award: 1; Varsity Field & Track: 2, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Wrestling: 4.

317 Summer St., Greenville, S.C.

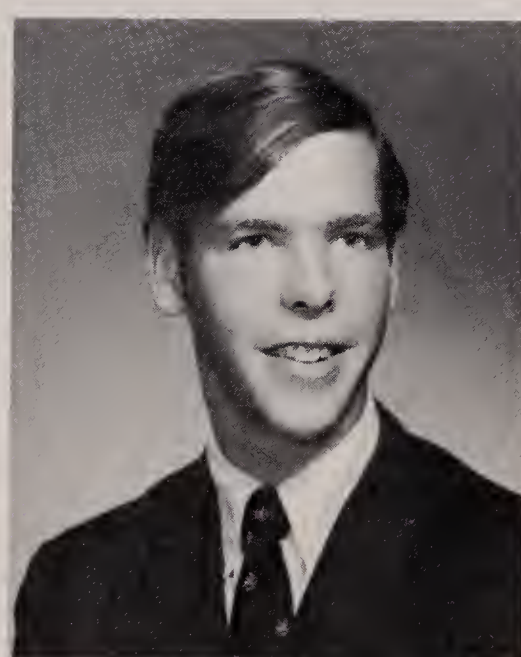
*I'll never forget you Father. We miss you deeply! Don't forget the South!
John M. Lemire*



Kevin Luukko

Intramural Basketball: 2; Intramural Football: 2, 3.

7 Amesbury St., Worcester, Mass.



Timothy Peter Mackin

Explorers: 2; Choir: 2; *Memini*: 4; Intramural Baseball: 2, 4; Intramural Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Varsity Field & Track: 2; Intramural Football: 3; Sailing Team: 4; Ski Team: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Soccer: 3, 4; Varsity Soccer: 3, 4; Culture Club: 4.

24 Grand Ave., Millers Falls, Mass.

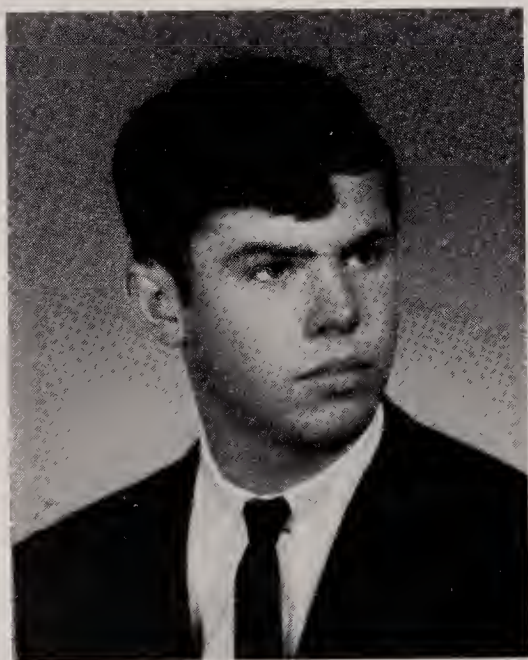
*Your Study Habits class really helped this year. I hope I continue to benefit from it. I wish you well in everything.
Tom Mackin*



James N. Maillett

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3; French Play: 2; English Play: 3; Intramural Baseball: 2, 3; Varsity Basketball: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Ski Team: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Soccer: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Tennis: 4; Intramural Volleyball: 1, 2, 3.

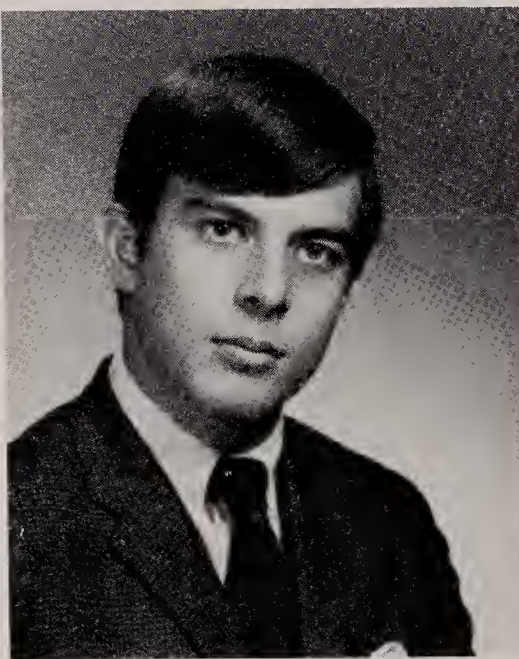
65 Washington St., Rumford, Me.



Robert Timothy Manning

Explorers: 1, 2, 3, 4; Press Club: 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Cross-Country: 1; Varsity Field and Track: 3, 4; Intramural Football: 2, 4; Varsity Football: 3.

9 Otsego Rd., Worcester, Mass.



Joseph Manuel Marble

Service Corps: 3, 4; Press Club: 3; Varsity Cross-Country: 3; Intramural Football: 3, 4; Varsity Tennis: 3, 4; Culture Club: 3, 4; Chess Club: 4; *Memini*: 4.

c/o American Embassy (AID/BPR)
Santo Domingo
Dominican Republic



SENIORS



Mark André Martin

YCS: 3; French Play: 3, 4; English Play: 3, 4; Sailing Team: 3, 4; Radio Club: 3.

RD #1, Middlebury, Vt.



Edward Rachier Mbeche

Explorers: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Field & Track: 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3.

P. O. Box 13112, Nairobi, Kenya, Africa



Kevin Thomas McGuire

Service Corps: 3, 4; *Memini*: 4; Varsity Baseball: 4; Intramural Basketball: 3; Intramural Football: 3, 4; Sailing Team: 3, 4; Ski Team: 3, 4; Intramural Soccer: 3; Radio Club: 3.

Elinor Lane, W. Harwich, Mass.

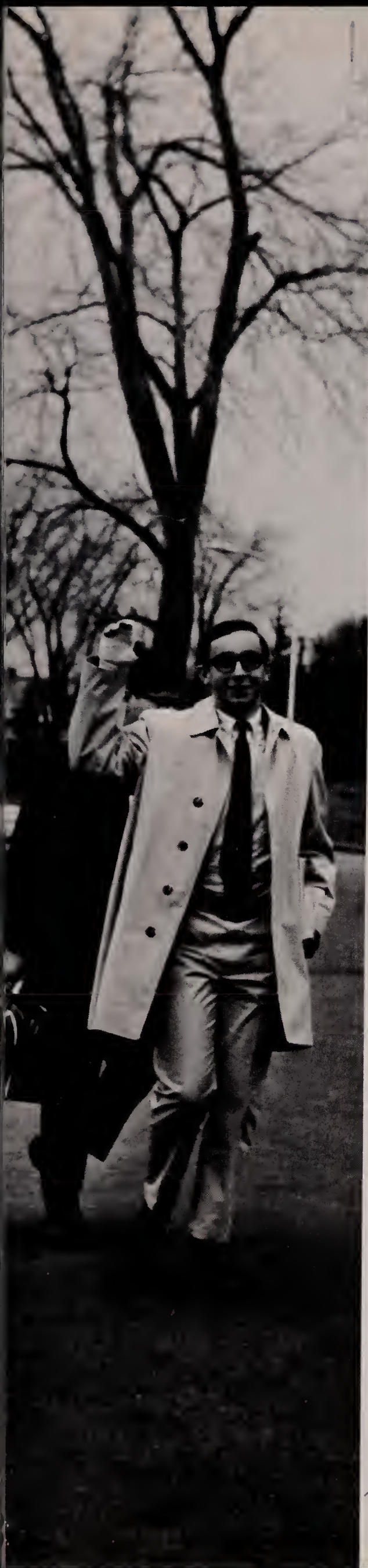
Fr. You've been a great help to our class. You're a great man. Good Luck in 111
Kevin



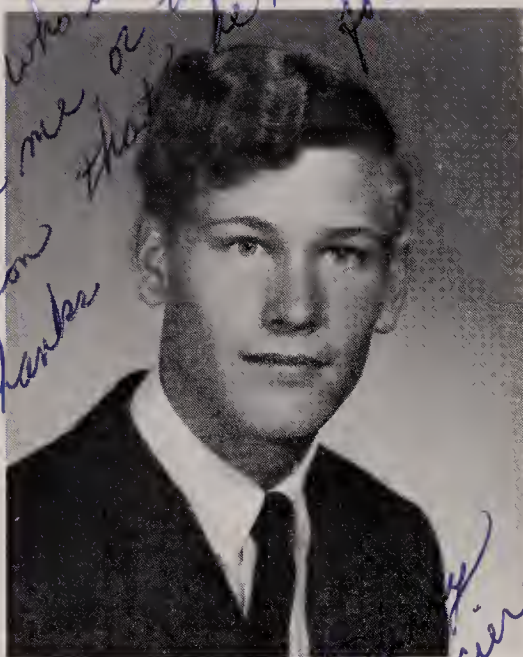
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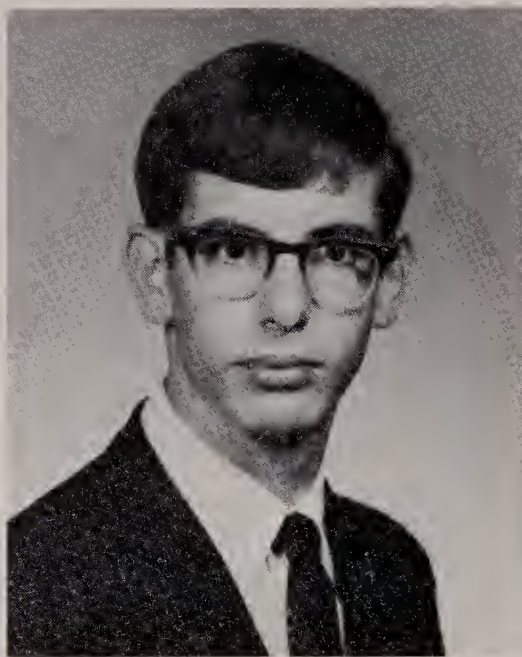
To Father Edgar:
A man who'll never
remember me, or the great
impression that he made on
me. Thanks for everything



Daniel Edmond Mercier

Explorers: 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll: 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2; Varsity Football: 3, 4; Radio Club: 1, 2.

P.O. Box 273, Plainfield, Conn.



Peter Paul Michaud

Explorers: 3; YCS: 3, 4; English Play: 3, 4; NHS: 3, 4; Honor Roll: 3; *Memini*: 4; Intramural Basketball: 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3; Varsity Soccer: 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

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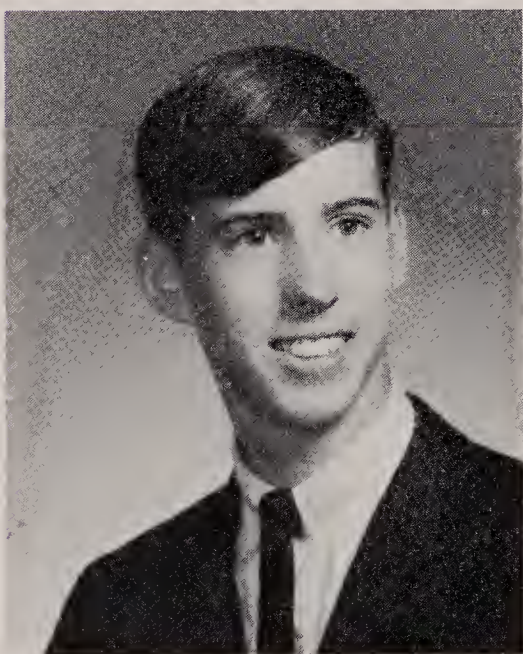
Richard Francis Mirabile

Memini: 4; Intramural Baseball: 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 3, 4; Intramural Football: 3, 4; Sailing Team: 4; Freedom's House: 4.

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Thank you very much,
Father. You helped me
realize my ambition more
than any other person I
have known. I only
wish I could express
my appreciation.

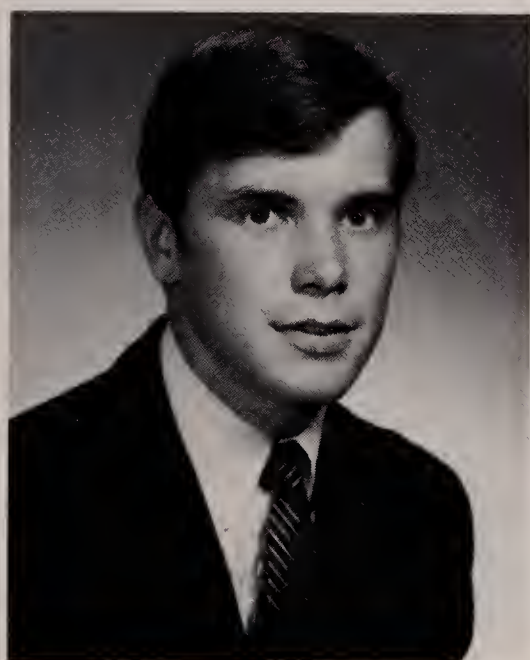
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Martin Lee Morrissey

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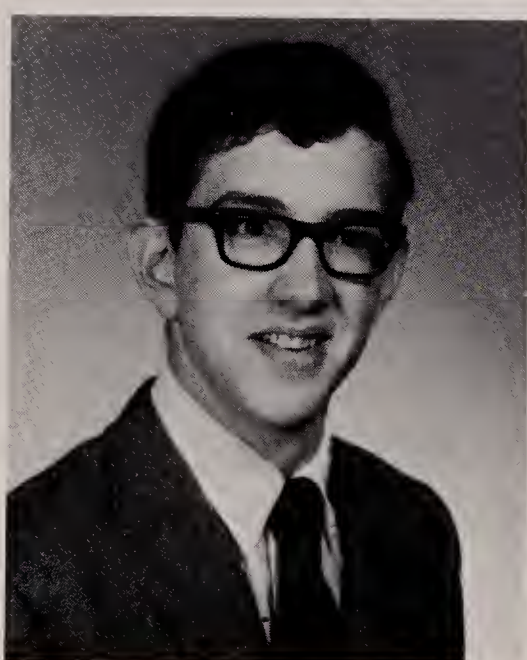
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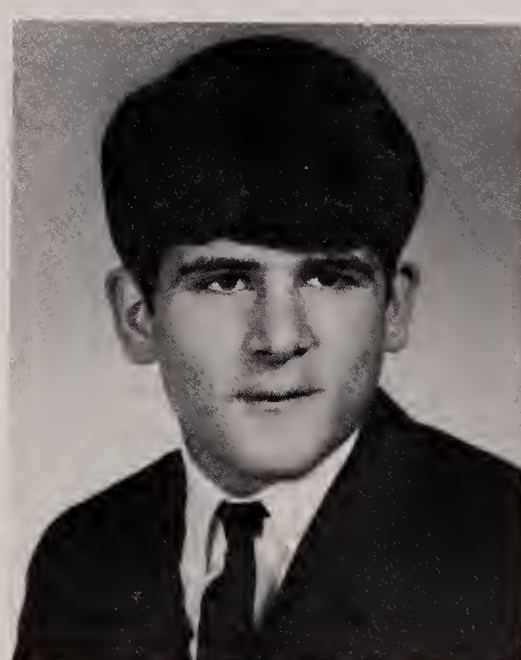
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William John Murray

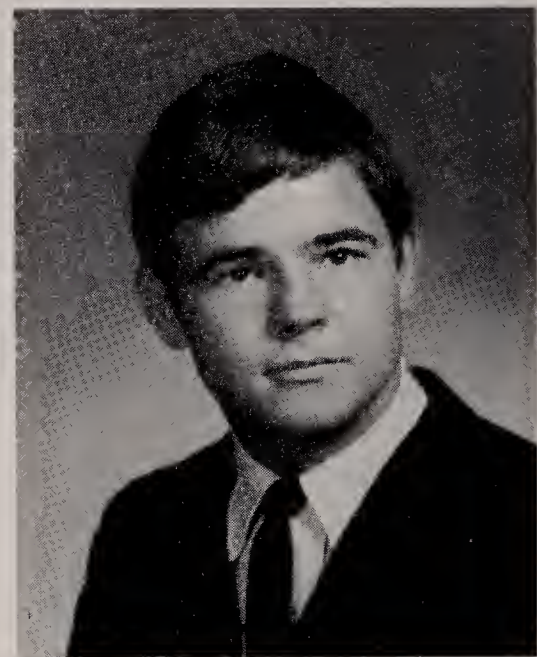
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246 Hackett Blvd., Albany, N.Y.



James Stanley Nicas

Memini: 4; Varsity Baseball: 4; Varsity Football: 4; Intramural Football: 3; Ski Team: 3, 4; Intramural Soccer: 3.

15 King Ct., Leicester, Mass.



John Patrick O'Hara

Intramural Basketball: 4; Varsity Field & Track: 4; Varsity Football: 4; Swimming Team: 4; Ski Team: 4.

1179 Main St., Athol, Mass.

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George Vincent Palermo

Explorers: 1, 2, 3; Press Club: 2; Intramural Baseball: 3; Varsity Field & Track: 2, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3.

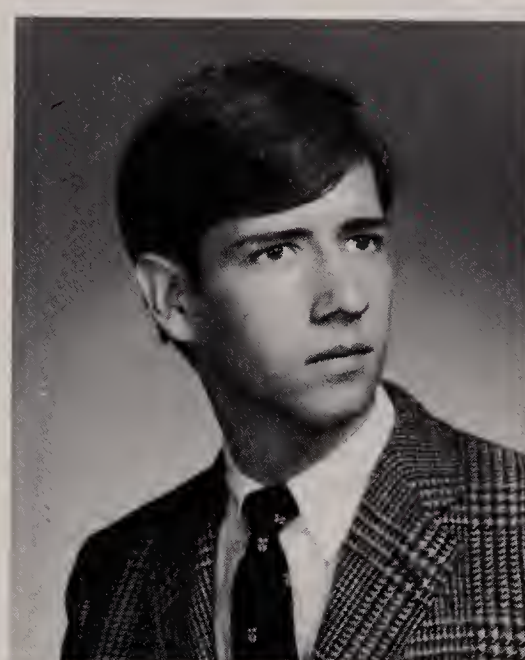
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Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir: 2, 3; Press Club: 2, 3; Student Government: 1, 2, 3; APSL: 1, 2.

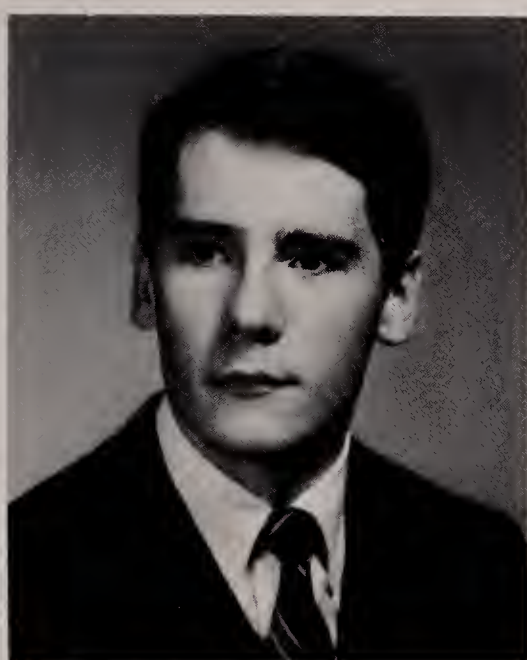
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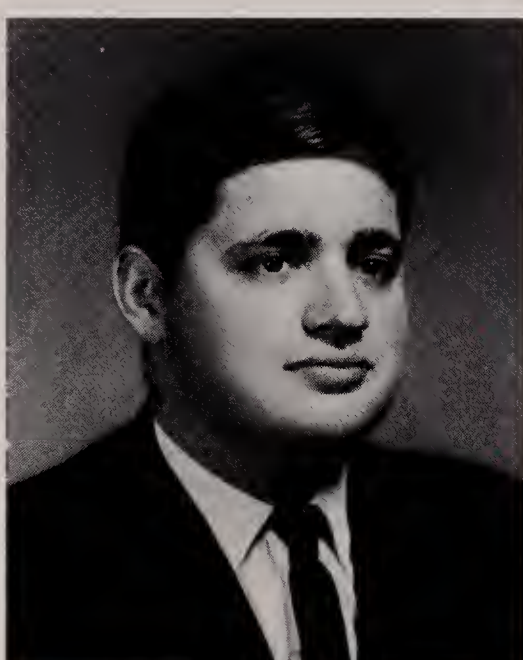
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Robert Francis Plotczyk

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131 Fruit St., Hopkinton, Mass.



Ralph Anthony Pollone

Explorers: 2, 3, 4; Service Corps: 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating: 2, 3, 4; English Play: 3, 4; Intramural Football: 2, 4; YAF: 3, 4; Freedom's House: 3, 4; Aquarium Club: 4; Coin Club; Stamp Club; Chess Club: 4.

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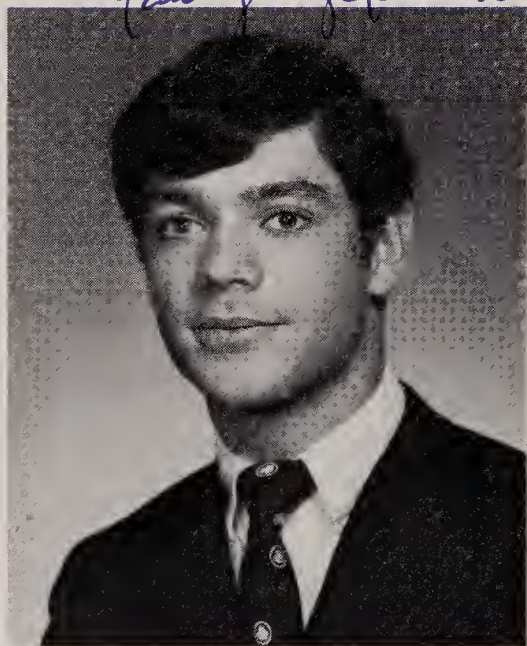
Honor Roll: 3, 4; NHS: 4; Press Club: 4; *Memini*: 4 (Layout Editor); French Club: 4.

152 Hayden Rowe St., Hopkinton, Mass.

*Father--I saw you
once privately last year.
I wish I could have
known you better.
It seemed worth it.
Craig Preston*



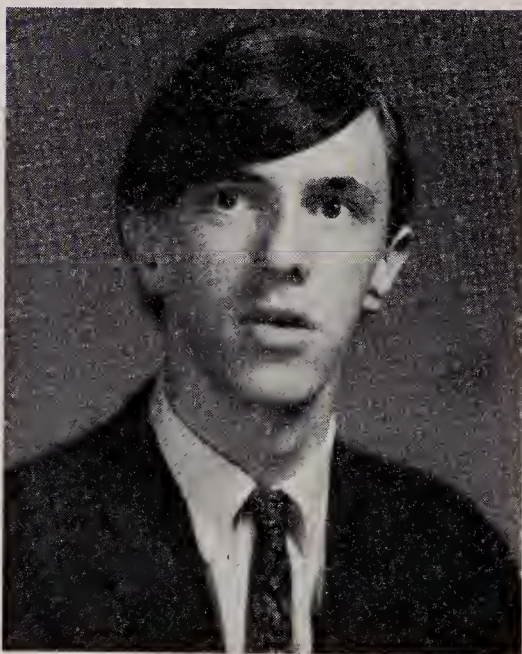
Father,
 You above all others
 have made a lasting
 impression on me.
 One of my sincerest
 wishes is to lead a life
 to the fullest like I think you
 did.
Paul George Prunier



Paul George Prunier

YCS: 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3; NHS: 4; Class President: 1, 2; Biology Award: 2; Physics: 3; Intramural Basketball: 2; Varsity Basketball: 1, 2; Varsity Track & Field: 2; Varsity Football: 2, 3, 4; *Consider*: Contributing Editor; Student-Faculty Senate: 4 (President).

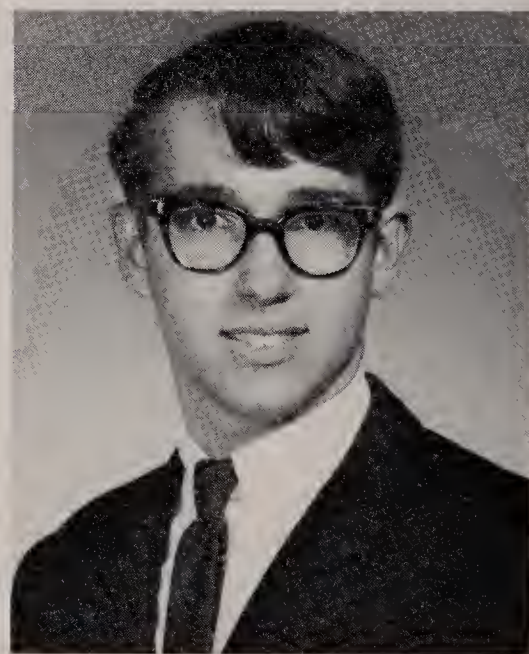
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Gerald Charles Ryan

Service Corps: 2; Press Club: 2; Culture Club: 3, 4.

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Philip Harold St. Cyr

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll: 4; Press Club: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball: 2; Intramural Football: 1, 3; Intramural Soccer: 2, 3; Intramural Tennis: 2, 4; Varsity Tennis: 4; Hockey: 2, 3.

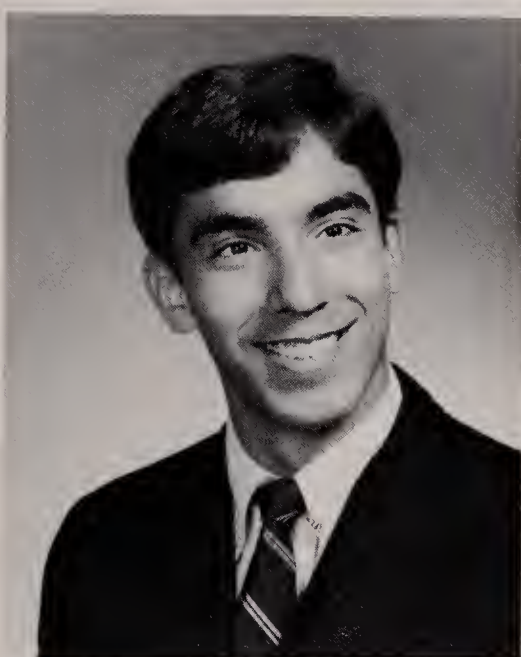
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Paul G. St. Onge

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Service Corps: 3; Choir: 1, 2, 3, 4; English Play: 2, 3; Intramural Basketball: 2; Intramural Football: 1, 3; Intramural Soccer: 2; Volleyball: 1, 2, 3.

17 Plymouth St., Aldenville, Mass.



Mariano Santiago, Jr.

Service Corps: 3, 4; Choir: 1; Honor Roll: 1, 3; NHS: 4; Class Secretary: 1, 3; Class Treasurer: 2; Leadership Award: 2; Excellence Award: 3; French Award: 3; JV Basketball: 1; Varsity Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Soccer: 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

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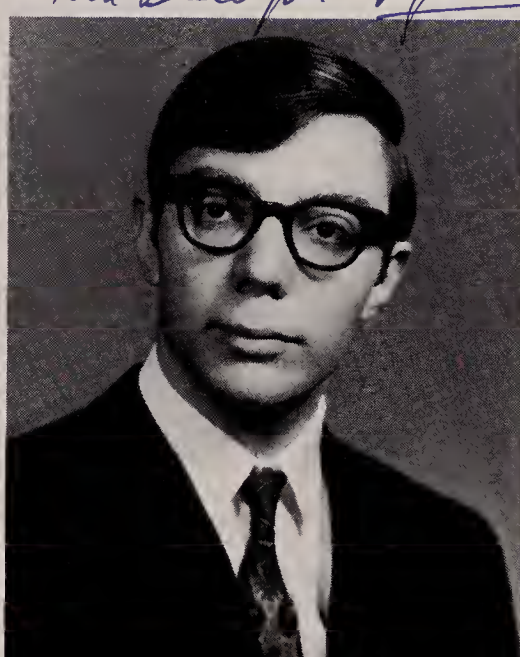
*Going to Fordham U.
Thanks for everything
God Bless you. Maria*



Stephen Francis Santom

Explorers: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Football: 4; Intramural Soccer: 3; JV Baseball: 1, 2.

5 Fairchild Dr., Holden, Mass.



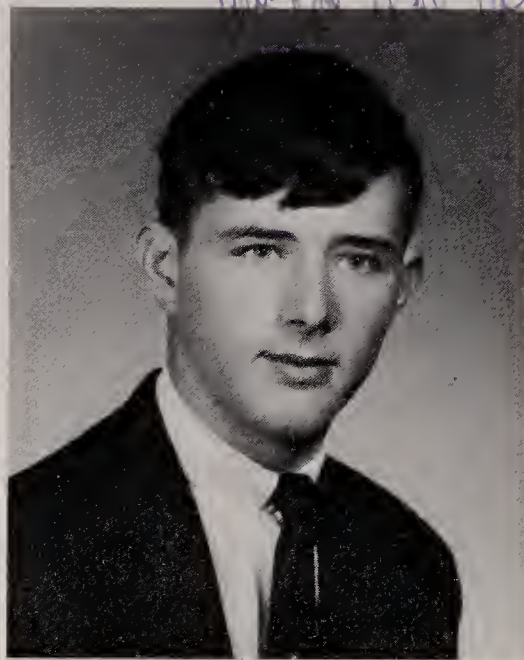
Louis S. Seligowski

Honor Roll: 1, 2; Intramural Basketball: 3, 4; Varsity Basketball: 1, 2; Varsity Field & Track: 2, 4; Varsity Football: 2.

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*Assumption College
seems highly in my plan
for next year; thanks for
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help.*

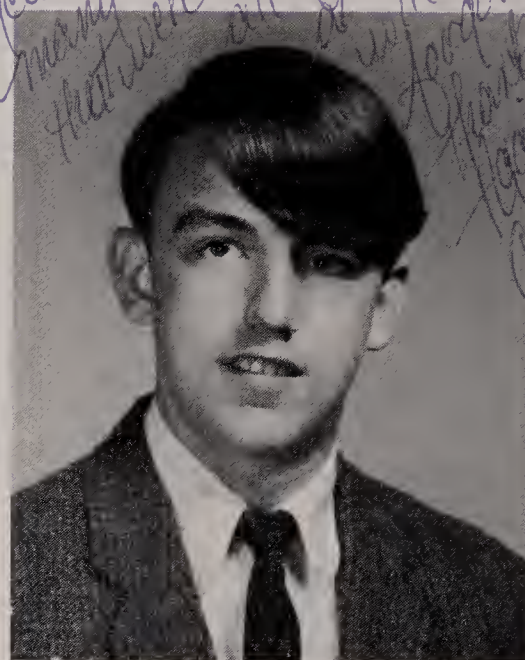




William Francis Shea III

Explorers: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball: 2, 3, 4; Sailing Team: 1, 2, 3; Ski Team: 2, 4.

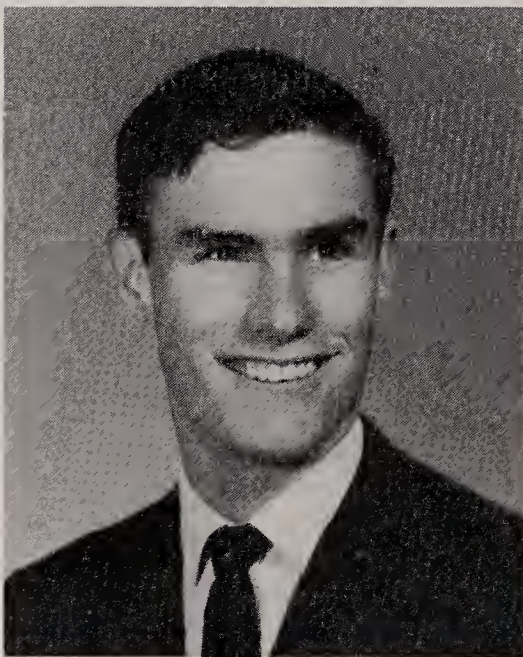
8 Monterey Rd., Worcester, Mass.



Charles Bernard Sullivan, Jr.

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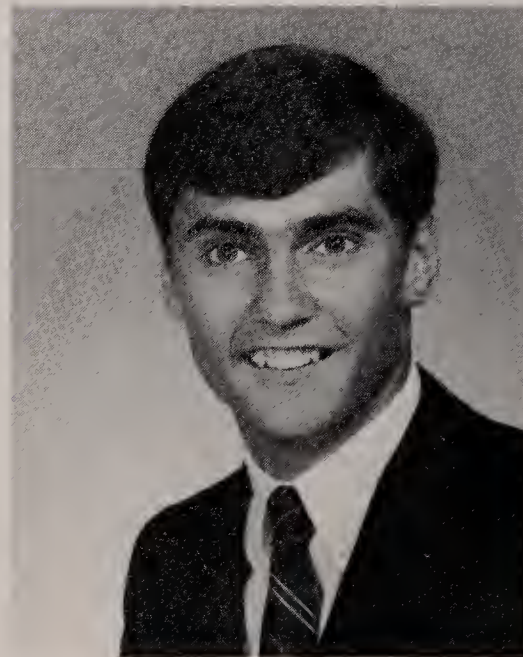
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Gerald Patrick Sullivan

Service Corps: 3, 4; Debating: 3; Press Club: 4; Intramural Football: 2.

25 Genesee St., Worcester, Mass.



Stephen A. Sylvestro

YCS: 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3; *Memini*: 4; J. V. Baseball: 1; Varsity Baseball: 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Football: 1, 2, 3, 4; History Club: 2, 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4; Student-Faculty Senate: 4 (Vice-President).

36 Oneida Ave., Worcester, Mass.

Father! I can never thank you enough for opening the doors of assumption to me in my sophomore year. This and many other favors that were bestowed on me all of us here will never be forgotten! Thank you! C.B. Sullivan

Fr. Edgely,
 Doubt if you remember
 me, but thanks for SENIORS
 the impression well made
 Best of Luck,
 Phil Tetreault



Stephen Charles Szabo

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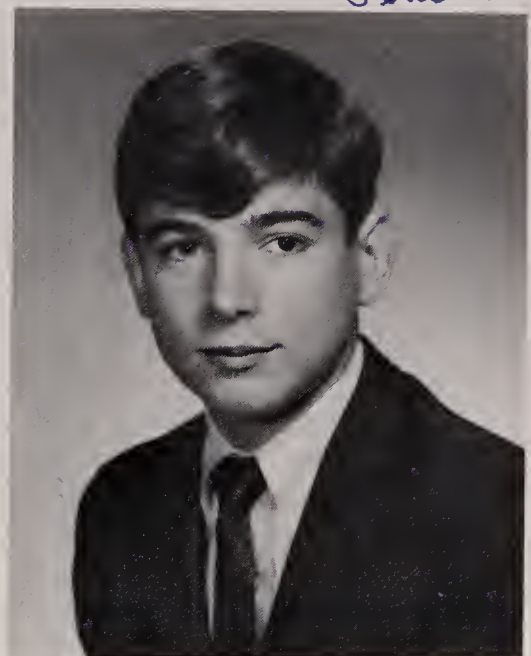
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Arnope Arnold Tantuvanich

Math Club: 3, 4; Chess Club: 4.

79 Dejo Lane, Bangkok, Thailand

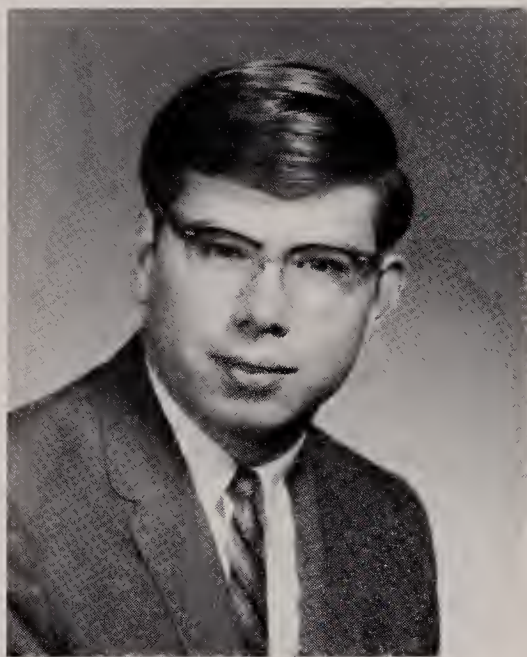


Philip Edward Tetreault

Press Club: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball:
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 Volleyball: 2.

4 Susie St., Moosup, Conn.

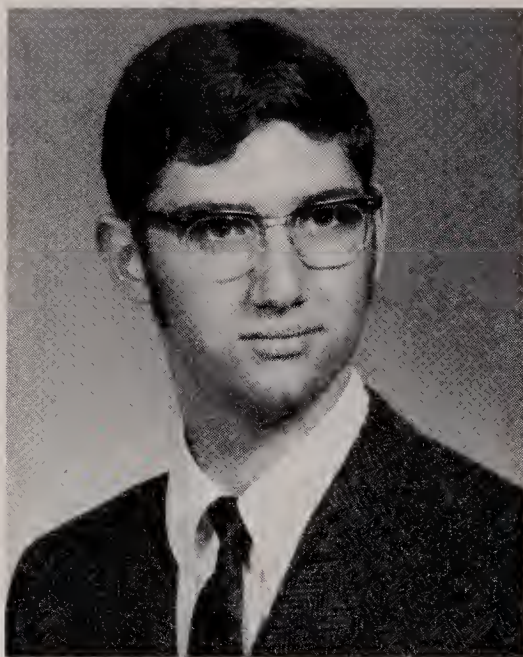




David B. VanBenschoten

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Explorers: 1; Choir: 2, 3; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; *Memini*: 4; Intramural Basketball: 2, 4; Field & Track: 2; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Intramural Soccer: 2.

20 Austin Ave., Saugerties, N.Y.



Marc Van Vooren

Explorers: 2; Service Corps: 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll: 3.

33 Elmwood Rd., Southbridge, Mass.



Burt Lloyd F. Vigil

Service Corps: 4; Choir: 1, 2; Honor Roll: 1; Intramural Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1, 2, 3; Varsity Soccer: 4; Intramural Tennis: 2; Varsity Tennis: 3, 4; French Club: 3, 4; Volleyball: 2.

110 Indiana St. S. E.
Albuquerque, N. M.

*Father Edgar,
I learned a
great deal concerning
life by just watching
you in action. You're
truly a great man.
Wiggle*



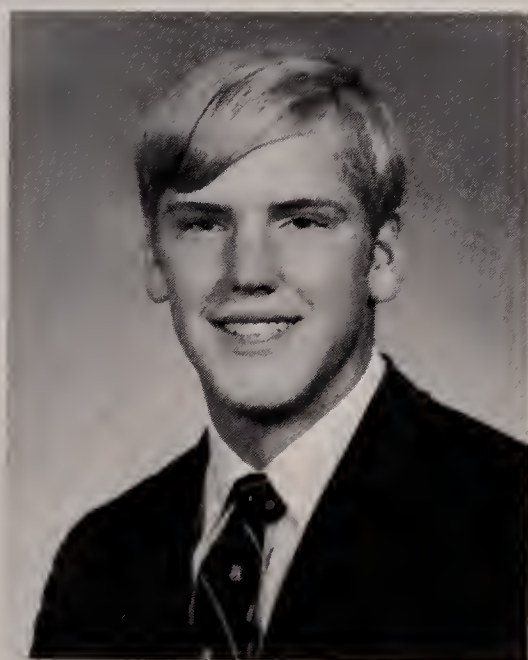
Adam Charles Walms

NHS: 3, 4; Honor Roll: 1, 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball: 1, 2; Cross-Country: 2, 3, 4; Field & Track Varsity: 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Football: 1; History Club: 2, 3, 4; Alpha Rho Tau: 4.

R.F.D. #2 Box 31, Stafford Springs, Conn.

*Father Edgar,
My best buddy
at the Prep
during the
three years
you were here.
I will write
to you
from Trinity
College. Have
never admired a
man more
than
Adam*





Stephen Chester Warner

Explorers: 1; Varsity Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4;
Varsity Football: 2, 3, 4.

318 Highland St., Worcester, Mass.



Gerard B. Wegemer

Apostolic School: 1, 2, 3, 4; Service Corps:
3; Choir: 1, 2, 3; Honor Roll: 3; NHS: 4;
Student Government: 2, 3, 4; APSL Latin
Award; Intramural Basketball: 2; Soccer:
1, 2.



James Thomas Wilson

English Play: 4; *Memini*: 4; NEDT Certi-
ficate; Intramural Basketball: 1, 3, 4; Var-
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Culture Club: 4.

58 Commodore Rd., Worcester, Mass.

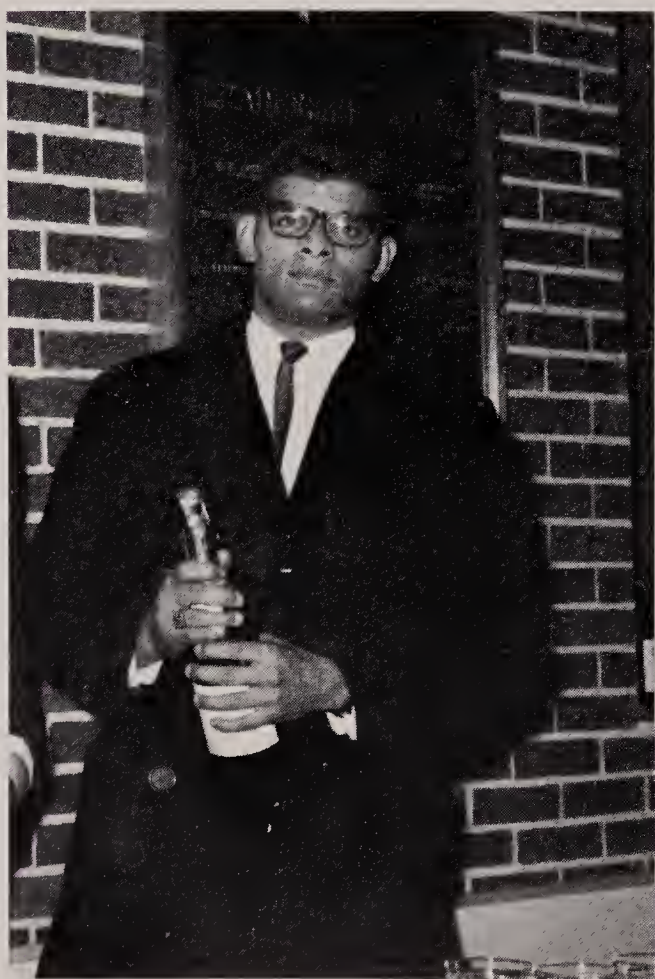




UNDERCLASSMEN



JUNIORS



The 1966 *Memini* called the class of 1969 the "best class on paper since the class of '66"; we tend to feel that they're the best class on paper since the class of '68 . . . In fact, this class is giving a lot to the school, and it hopefully realizes that it has even more to contribute in the near future. Its greatest contribution has been in the area of athletics. Dominique's value to the soccer team goes without saying. Gagnon was elected Most Valuable Player on the football team as a freshman. He and Morette has been the biggest assets for our team ever since. Not enough can be said about Cragan's shooting and Marians' dribbling on the basketball court, nor of Desmarais' speed in cross-country.

However, in addition to sports, the class is also greatly involved in the Student-Faculty Senate; Bret Devine usually takes the lead on this point. This class was instrumental in rejuvenating the Amateur Radio Club in its freshman year; Peter Mena has probably been most responsible for the progress made in this activity. The juniors have discovered that Assumption gets more and more academically demanding each year, that it really isn't impossible to make a varsity team, and that the senior year and colleges aren't too far away.





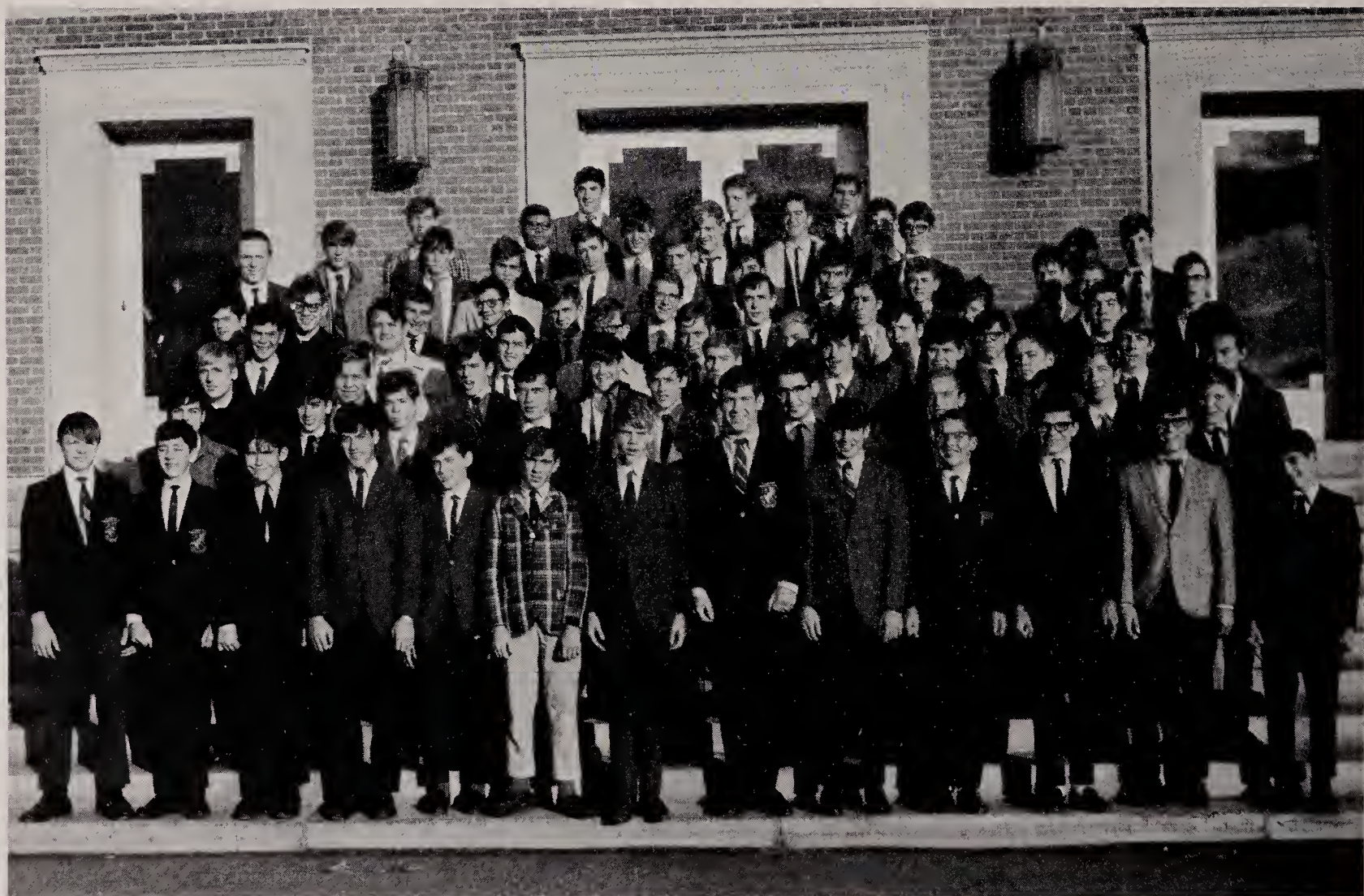
The sophomores seem to be everywhere, sometimes losing money in the Coke machine on the basement floor or in the telephone booths on the second floor.

Led by Charles Picard and Mike Courtney in the Senate, they are active in most sports and clubs. Joe May and Steve Bouffard were outstanding on the 1968 cross-country team and are invaluable potentials for next year's cross-country team. Nick Florescu scored goal after goal for our highly successful soccer team, and shows the potential of becoming Assumption's best all-time soccer player. Denis Cavan was a tremendous asset to the football team; he filled the quarterback slot on our hopeful '68 team. Richard Riley and Richard Mello were particular standouts on the basketball team. Mark Roddy shows particular potential in tennis.

Ron Duquette and Jaime Figueroa are active in nearly every club; Ron even took it on himself to start his own stamp club.

The class of 1970 discovered they have progressed from the naive freshmen to the sophisticated sophomores, and generally take pride in the fact that they finally have something to look back on. Yet, at the end of the year, they were actually looking ahead and discovering that becoming upperclassmen is going to be a big change.

SOPHOMORES







FRESHMEN

This year's Freshman Class, the class of '71, found themselves a bit confused and lost during the first days of the school year. Everything was new and strange; everyone seemed hostile; all was bereft of the security which had been "home." During their first year at the Prep., they had to change themselves in many ways—they had to learn to live with other people; they had to learn to study at certain times of the day, to play sports at other times, and to get along by themselves at all times. They have adjusted, as other freshman classes have before them; they have learned to participate more and more in the life of the school. Eric Meza and Cris D'Elia, for example, have shown themselves able in the game of basketball. Robert Ferland and Thomas Loftus represent the class in the newly formed Student-Faculty Senate.

The Freshman Class has joined Assumption and has become a definite and distinctive part of it. Its members have much ahead of them; before they graduate, they will learn and mature a great deal.

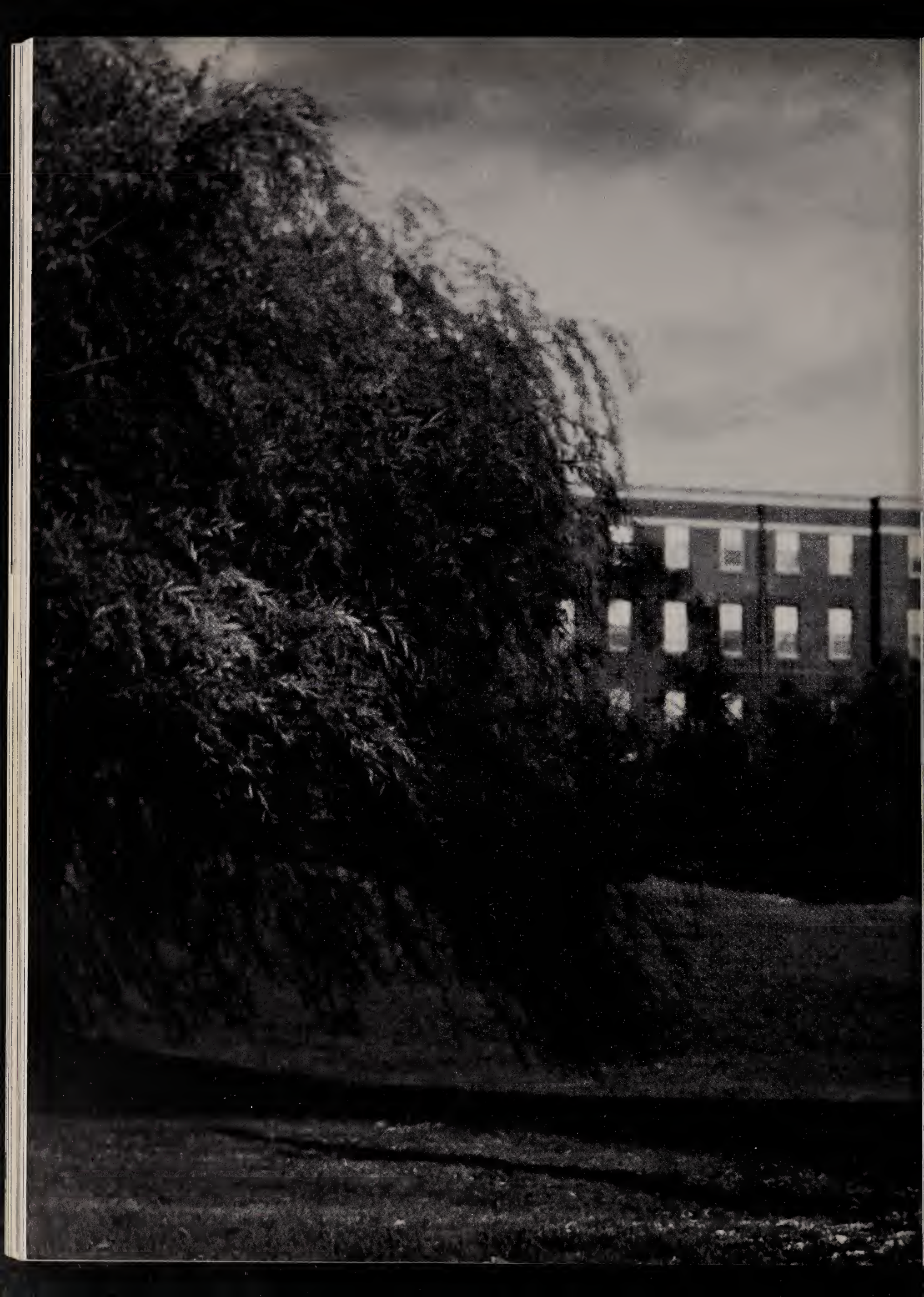








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AFTERWORD

We have tried to make this edition of the *Memini* a representation of the school as well as a record of the year. The staff feels that the 1968 school year has brought more change to Assumption than any previous year. To capture the spirit of the changing Assumption, we have felt it necessary to alter some of the superfluous "traditions" embodied in past *Meminis*. Senior biographies, for example, were dropped because we felt they were too artificial and strained. There are also more senior portraits per page this year. The space gained from this move was added to the front section of the book—the thematic development which strives to represent accurately the moods and attitudes of Assumption students.

To correlate this new aura of life with the lessened formality of this edition, we have included many more photographs that are especially relevant to student life. Some of our best and most meaningful photography is in this section. To highlight the beauty of the campus, numerous landscape shots are scattered throughout the book.

Photography is but one aspect of the "new" *Memini*. As you may have noticed, the amount of literary work was also stepped up, especially in the *Organizations* section. All this change called for much hard work and co-operation. The staff bore the greatest burden; for this we thank them, especially our right-hand men: Craig Preston, Joe King, and Henry Lemaître. But we feel that we must also express special thanks to a few persons not on the staff. Mr. Brunelle, our faculty advisor, did much to help us in the formation of initial plans and in the successful realization of these plans. He did not serve alone in this capacity. Don Lendry, the representative of the American Yearbook Company, contributed expert advice on the many mechanical problems involved in publishing a yearbook and on the best ways to organize a book for the desired effect. Art MacEvoy of Loring's Studios gave us unlimited use of his facilities. These men played integral roles in the publication of this 1968 *Memini*. To them and to our staff we are grateful.

Ed Barry
John Bolton

EDITORS

22 Mon Petit Prince⁷¹

- You were literally
my soul and inspiration
while I was here at school
and undoubtedly always will be.

You've influenced me more than any
man ever has. Next to my father.
He told me the story of Columbus as we
looked out into the rain sang in chapel
made an indelible mark on my memory, but
are buried very deeply in my heart. Rest assured
that you'll always be an inspiration to my
dreams for you in my prayers. Rest assured
place for you in my always find a special

from one great man to Another, I remain -
Columbus Bolton



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